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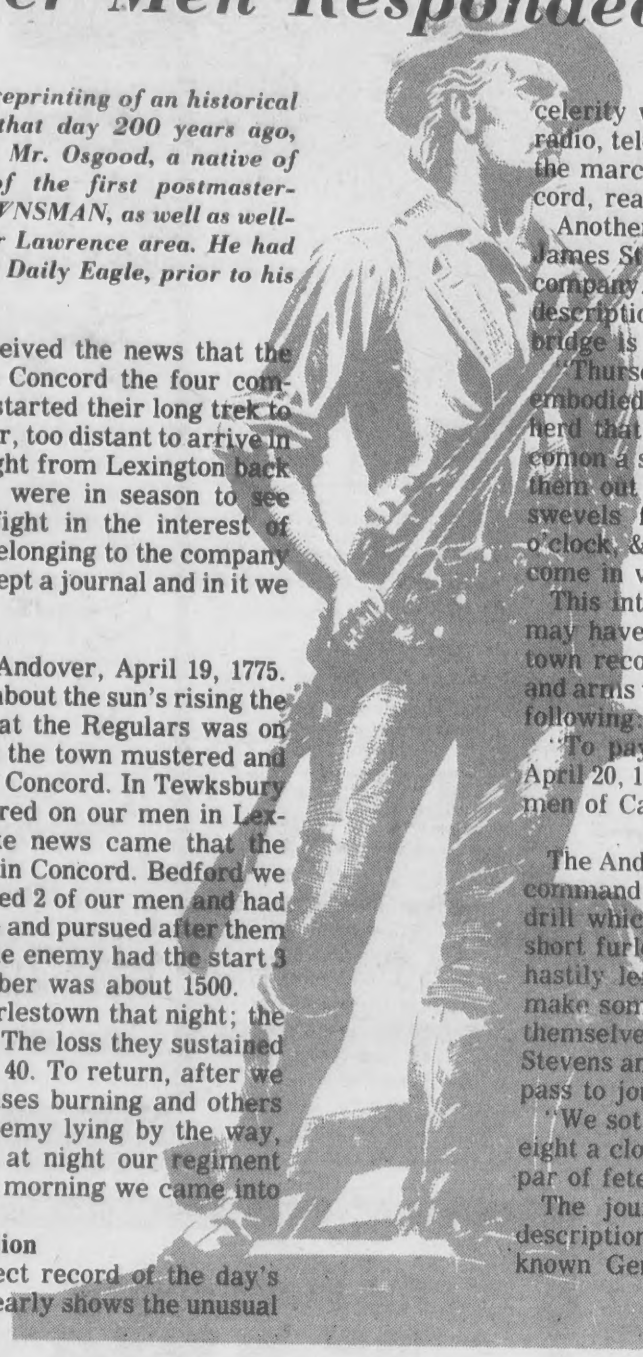

Editor's Note: The following is a reprinting of an historical account of Andover's response on that day 200 years ago, written by the late John B. Osgood. Mr. Osgood, a native of North Andover, and descendant of the first postmaster-general, was a contributor to the TOWNSMAN, as well as well-known newspaperman in the Greater Lawrence area. He had served as city editor of the Lawrence Daily Eagle, prior to his retirement in 1954.

When the citizens of Andover received the news that the British regulars had marched upon Concord the four companies of local militia immediately started their long trek to this distant town. They were, however, too distant to arrive in time to participate in the running fight from Lexington back to Charlestown. Nevertheless, they were in season to see some of the results of the first fight in the interest of American independence. A private belonging to the company of Captain Ames, Thomas Boynton, kept a journal and in it we find a record of this first day:

His Journal

"Andover, April 19, 1775.

"This morning, being Wednesday, about the sun's rising the town was alarmed with the news that the Regulars was on their march to Concord. Upon which the town mustered and about 10 o'clock marched onward for Concord. In Tewksbury news came that the Regulars had fired on our men in Lexington, and had killed 8. In Bilricke news came that the enemy were killing and slaying men in Concord. Bedford we had the news that the enemy had killed 2 of our men and had retreated back; we shifted our course and pursued after them as fast as possible, but all in vain; the enemy had the start 3 or 4 miles. It is said that their number was about 1500.

"They were pursued as far as Charlestown that night; the next day they passed Charles River. The loss they sustained as we hear were 500; our men about 40. To return, after we came into Concord road we saw houses burning and others plundered and dead bodies of the enemy lying by the way, others taken prisoners. About eight at night our regiment came to a halt in no time. The next morning we came into Cambridge and there abode."

Stevens' Description

This account is doubtlessly a correct record of the day's work of the Andover companies. It clearly shows the unusual celerity with which, in those days, when there was neither radio, telegraph, railroads, or even a daily coach, the news of the marching of the British grenadiers from Boston to Concord, reached Andover.

Another soldier's journal has been found, that of private James Stevens, who was a member of Capt. Thomas Poor's company. It, like that of Boynton's, begins on April 19, 1775. A description of the march to Boston and the arrival at Cambridge is given. The journal continues as follows:

"Thursday, ye 20, this morning we had alarm about day, we embodied as soon as possible & march into the comon; we herd that the regerlers was gon to Boston, we staid on the comon a spel & then we retreted back to the hills & expected them out on us. we herd several small arms & one or two swevels from a tender. We staid awhile, ten or aleven o'clock, & then come down & got some refreshments & men come in very fast."

This interesting excerpt alludes to "refreshments" which may have consisted in part of supplies from home, for the town records of Andover show that provisions and clothing and arms were often sent to camp. We find entries such as the following:

"To pay Andrew Peters for a Barrel of Pork delivered April 20, 1775, to send to Cambridge to the militia and minute men of Cambridge belonging to the town."

Under General Ward

The Andover troops went into camp in Cambridge under the command of General Ward. Here they were subjected to a drill which was not very exacting. Many of them obtained short furloughs to return to their homes, which they had so hastily left, in order to arrange their personal affairs and make some provisions for the comfort of their families and themselves. It is noted that on Monday, May 15, James Stevens and his comrades Wiley and Enoch Parker obtained a pass to journey home to Andover. Stevens' journal says: —

"We sot off hom about a leven o'clock; we got home about eight a clock . . . Tuesday I staid hom this forenoon & mad a par of feters for my mare."

The journals of both Stevens and Boynton give some description of the camp life of the minute men. As is well known General Gage was in charge of the British troops

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Elderly Help Complete Our '75 Town Meeting

By Robert E. Finneran
Managing Editor

When the town meeting of a week ago approved continued train service for Andover, apparently everyone got aboard the first commuter special out of town.

Thus it remained for those, with a long and solid interest in Andover - - a block of senior citizens - - to insure that the town's business would be transacted when the annual session reconvened Tuesday night after adjourning without a quorum on Monday night.

With the aid of the senior citizens, a quorum was reached shortly before 8 p.m. and the business of completing action on the remainder of 59 article warrant ran smoothly for just under two hours.

At the Monday night session, Moderator William Dalton waited about 35 minutes before declaring a quorum had not been reached, prospects were dim that such would be obtained. There were 295 of the necessary 350 voters in Memorial Auditorium at the time.

Ironically, the 394 voters who showed up on Tuesday night refused to reduce the quorum necessity following slight debate, and another article, dealing with town meeting conduct, establishing a per centage of voters necessary to transact business was withdrawn.

Tuesday night, well in advance of the 7:30 p.m. starting time for the session, many of the Chestnut Court residents and Andover Haven members, began trudging through The Park to the auditorium and took up attentive spots in the center of the auditorium.

Moderator William Dalton took cognizance of the group and they were accorded appreciative applause by the other voters in attendance.

Features of the closing session, which now allows the town to plan on a tax rate increase of not more than a dollar, based on state reimbursement estimates, were:

- **Failure to reduce town meeting quorum requirements.**

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Bells To Sound Bicentennial Memorial

Bells on Andover churches, schools and civic places will be rung 41 times Saturday noon to memorialize the number of colonists killed in the opening shots of the American Revolution.

The request was made of the churches and schools by the Andover Bicentennial Commission and it is believed that other towns in the area will join in the Andover memorial observance.

Griffin Named FinCom Member

Leo F. Griffin, 268 River Road, was named to the Finance Committee at the final session of town meeting Tuesday night by Moderator William Dalton.

Griffin will replace Atty. John C. Doherty who declined reappointment to another three year term. He has served this past year as FinCom chairman.

Griffin, 39-year-old father of four children, received a B.A. degree from Boston University and a Master's degree in business administration from Northeastern University.

He is employed as an internal audit manager for Marshall's, Inc.

He formerly served as chief auditor for the Mass. Turnpike Authority and security officer and assistant audit manager of Essex County Bank.

He served with the U. S. Army Audit Agency and is co-author of a booklet, "Auditing the Computer Center."

He is a past president of the New England Institute of Internal Auditors and served as president of the West School PTO and was a member of the PTO Advisory Council, Climate For Learning and IMS committees of the Andover school department.

Reappointed to three year terms on the FinCom by Dalton were Mrs. R. Milton Cole and Mrs. Dana Dux bury.

Proud Moment

Presentation of the Eagle Scout Award, highest honor for a Boy Scout is a proud moment, not only for the recipient, but for the family as well. Here Thomas Edward Darby has the Eagle award pinned on by his mother, Mrs. Thomas Darby at ceremonies last Friday night at the Troop 72 meeting at Free Christian Church. Scoutmaster Wayne Stanwood is at left and the young man's father, Thomas Darby is at right. In the background are grandparents, Retired Supt. of Schools and Mrs. Edward I. Erickson.

Movies At 'Vale Center

The Andover Photography Club showing of three old time films will be held at Ballardvale Community Center this Tuesday, April 22, at 7:30 p.m., not at Memorial Hall Library as previously announced.

On May 6, the club's monthly meeting will include a demonstration by the Polaroid Co., and will be held at the club's new headquarters, the community center in Ballardvale.

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Special features of the hike include a walk through Turtle Mounds erected by the Irish centuries ago, a glimpse of the famed Harriet Beecher Stowe House and trips through the Charles Ward Reservation and Harold Parker State Forest.

Hikers are urged to bring a snack or lunch to help them complete the full 28 miles.

See Andover as you've never seen it before beginning at 10 a.m. at the Shawsheen School.

Should the hike be postponed due to inclement weather, it will be held on Sunday, April 27.

Tsongas To Meet With Residents

The second in a series of "open meetings" has been scheduled by U.S. Rep. Paul Tsongas (D-Mass.) for April 25 at 8 p.m. in Andover's Memorial Hall Library. The informal session next Friday night invites town residents to express their opinions and ask questions of their Congressman.

"The open meeting at the Library," Tsongas stated, "will give us a chance to talk about the important local and national issues that face us at this time. In the next few months, I'll be called upon to make critical decisions on behalf of the people of Andover and the rest of the Fifth District. I want my constitutents to have a chance to participate in these decisions."

Tsongas said he would be coming to the meeting "to listen, not to give any speeches. I'd like to discuss the issues, answer any questions I can . . . basically to sit down and talk it out."

The Fifth District Congressman initiated the series of public meetings dubbed "Tell It To Your Congressman" in Methuen during the first week of April.

Tsongas said the "open meeting" concept was an extension of his attempt to maximize "face to face" contact with area residents. He said his 150-mile walk through every Fifth District community during his campaign for Congress convinced him that it was necessary for public officials to initiate opportunities to meet "those people who are reluctant to come to your office or write you a letter."

On Dean's List

Named to the Dean's list for the past semester at Fitchburg State College from this area were:

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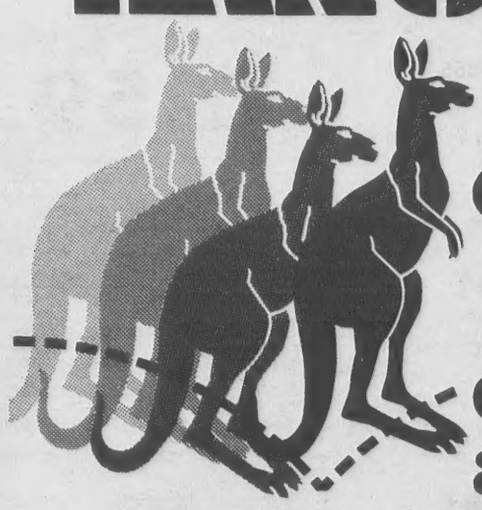

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Thus, next Monday, April 21 is a legal state holiday for some.

All retail stores will be open as usual.

Banks, civic and professional offices will be closed.

Federal offices, including the U.S. Postal Service, will be open as usual.

The TOWNSMAN office will be closed all day.

Industrial plants regard the holiday as part of an optional calendar, for instance, Western Electric and Raytheon will be closed, while employees of the Gillette Co. in Lowell Junction, will be working.

Flea Mart On Campus Sunday

With some "antiques which might even date from colonial times," the Senior Class at Merrimack College will sponsor a Bicentennial Antique Show and Flea Market on Sunday, April 20 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

The Bicentennial Antique Show and Flea Market will be located on the parking lot between the McQuade Library and the S. Peter Volpe Physical Education Center on the college's North Andover campus. In the event of rain, the Antique Show and Flea Market will be scheduled on Sunday, April 27.

Besides the "colonial antiques," the Merrimack Bicentennial Antique Show and Flea Market will feature "assorted general merchandise" ranging from knitwear, stained glass figurines, and leathercraft to hanging plants, furniture, and woodcraft. The Senior Class will once again provide a snack bar to serve shopkeepers, their customers, and their families.

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Andover Recreation Spring Happening

Tuesday, April 22

Elementary Open Gym - West Elementary 10 a.m.-12 noon
Swimming - Greater Lawrence Regional Vocational School, 1:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m.

Wednesday, April 23

Movie - "Monkeys Go Home" - Doherty School 1 p.m. Free
Junior High Open Gym - East Junior High 1-3 p.m.

Thursday, April 24

Billiards Tourney - Lawrence Recreation Center 9:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. 8-ball and Straight. Register at the Recreation / Community Schools Office.
Roller Skating - Hi-Hat Rollaway in Lowell 2-4 p.m. Mention Recreation / Community Schools and skate for 75 cents.
Bike Repair Workshop - Bring your bike, parts and tools to Doherty 1-3 p.m.
Swimming - Greater Lawrence Regional Vocational School 7:30-9:30 p.m.

Friday, April 25

Elementary Open Gym - Doherty School 10 a.m. - 12 noon
Crafts for Elementary School Children - Doherty 1:30 - 3 p.m.

Saturday, April 26

Bike Hike - Shawsheen School bicycle through 28 miles of Andover, 10 a.m.

Sunday, April 27

Bike Hike Rain Date

Senior Citizens Provide Assist

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- **Leasing dogs between 7 a.m. and 5 p.m. on trash collection day.**
- **Approval of additional funds for a new bath house at Pomps Pond.**
- **Adoption of bylaws regulating public consumption of alcoholic beverages.**

Quorum Retained

Frederick Fitzgerald of Central street was the advocate of dropping the quorum requirement and informed the session that he felt the safeguards were present in Andover to insure proper conduct of town affairs.

He noted that despite only 295 people being present on Monday night thus forcing postponement of the meeting, he felt the best interests of the town would have been served by those present and voting.

Fitzgerald noted that motivation was a key to town meeting attendance. With articles of interest, such as a substantial tax rate increase, or in the case of a week ago, the issue of train service, the people show up.

He said the town has "zealous and inquisitive" press, keeping the townspeople informed of the issues and felt no disservice would be done by eliminating the quorum requirements.

Atty. Robert Zollner of the Finance Committee said he did not think it fair to single out the train group as a special interest group and further stated that he favored the retention of the quorum requirements.

Mrs. Janet Lake, of the selectmen, noted that the 350 requirement was about three per cent of the registered voters. She said she was an advocate of the open town meeting and while it had problems, the elimination of the quorum was not the answer.

The overwhelming majority agreed and the 350 quorum remains a part of the town bylaws.

The article which would have required a percentage of the town's registered voters, rather than a 350 quorum, was withdrawn. This is sponsored annually by Selectman Chairman Milton Greenberg.

The October town meeting remains a part of the town's municipal operation, despite the efforts of the selectmen to have it removed as being compulsory.

Selectmen George E. Heseltine and Alan F. French explained that it was not the intent to do away with the October session completely, but on occasions, such as last October, when the scheduled business was not considered vital, the board could eliminate the necessity of calling a meeting.

Dr. Richard A. Katz, a former school committeeman noted that the fall meeting was originally called to avoid special meetings when school construction issues were slated.

He also noted that only recently, the October meeting had full powers, in that the FinCom could not exercise veto power on money articles.

Mrs. Virginia Cole, of the FinCom emphasized that if the voters approved dropping the session, the FinCom power would be restored, since the fall gathering would again be a special town meeting.

With that, the majority decided to continue the annual convening in October.

FurtherRestraint

Andover dogs had their freedom further restrained when, after little debate, the voters approved having dogs leashed from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. on trash collection days.

The vote results in dogs having to be kept in their yards, or accompanied by their masters vice is scheduled for the specific neighborhood on a particular day as advertised.

Mrs. Janet Lake explained that the bylaw was necessary due to the increasing inconvenience resulting from dogs breaking open the plastic trash bags.

She later explained that the sense of the bylaw was simply making everyone a good neighbor. She felt it not too much to ask to exercise control over the family pet on the one day a week when the refuse collection service was in a particular area.

An amendment to extend the hours to include from 7 p.m. the night previous to 5 p.m. the day of collection, was defeated, 171-191, but the voters approved of the 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. proposal.

Voters also approved a fine of $25 being imposed on persons found to be in violation of any of the town's leash laws, which also provide for restraint of dogs during periods when children are going to and from school.

Providing the town clerk with certification of a dog's rabies shots before being granted a license was also approved by the voters as was an increase in license fees.

More Funds

Additional funds to complete the Pomps Pond bath house were approved.

Douglas Mitchell, of the town recreation committee, explained that the $50,000 approved a year ago for this construction got caught in the inflationary spiral, thus the need to return for more funds.

The committee, acting in good faith and based on best advice, went forward with taking down the old bath house at the end of the season last year. The old facility would have had to be removed for failure to meet health standards anyway, Mitchell said.

When bids came in, they were considerably above the funds available.

Bow, the committee would like to have the additional money, provided that funds would be available from the state after July 1.

For this year, temporary facilities will be provided at Pomps from the department budget at a cost of $5,000.

In response to questions from Mrs. Grace Petersand Mrs. G. Defelice on the need for the facility, and why it could not wait, Director Gary Ralph explained that the building is the minimum required by state health and recreation authorities, and that the funds would be needed after July 1, in order to have the building ready for the summer of '76.

Tools For Police

The town approved two new bylaws regulating consumption of alcoholic beverages in public places.

Town Manager J. Maynard Austin explained that the matter was before the meeting due to the problems of controlling the parks and other public places last summer.

Austin said the bylaws were to be considered at the meeting a year ago, but withdrawn in the hope that regulations imposed by the selectmen would result in control.

The manager then noted the problems of last summer when extra police were necessary to patrol the park, foul and abusive language and virtual takeover of park areas by some youths made the need for stricker bylaws necessary.

He described the proposed bylaws as providing the police department with the tools to carry out their work.

In other action the meeting:

Approved taking of $1,200,000 from the free cash account to assist in reducing the tax rate impact of the town meeting actions.

Refused to appoint a town civic-cultural center study committee.

Adopted new zoning laws, allowing mobile homes as temporary residence in cases of fire or other catastrophe, requiring building permits for construction of home tennis courts and changed dimensional requirements on new homes.

Pool Tourney

The Recreation / Community Schools Department has rented the Billiards Parlor at the Lawrence Recreation Center on Hampshire Street to sponsor a combination Pocket Billiards / 8-Ball Tourney. The tourney is open to all interested Andover residents between 12-18 years of age. The tourney is part of the Recreation / Community Schools Department Spring Happening vacation program and will be held on Thursday, April 24, from 9:30-11:30 a.m. Interested persons may register at the Recreation Community Schools Department office before 4:30 p.m. Monday, April 21.

One of the broad beams in the Fieldstone's barn on South Main bears the inscription, "raist June 14, 1842."

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about Boston, until superseded by Lord Howe. An interesting entry is found in the journal of Stevens, dated May 1, relative to military diversion and General Gage.

Burn Gage Effigy

"Lieut. Farnum come this morning very early & praded with us, the image of General Gage was burned on the sommon."

Having met with considerable defeat at Lexington and Concord, the British planned an aggressive movement in June. These plans became known to the American forces and a counter-movement was determined upon. It was decided to occupy Bunker Hill, a neighboring height which commanded Boston. The forces from Charlestown were gathered together and marched to the, now, historic spot.

A description of the events of the day as written in the journal of Thomas Boynton, is worth quoting. It runs thus: —

"Three regiments were ordered to paraid at 6 o'clock in the afternoon; namely: Conl. Fryes, Conl. Bridges and Conl. Prescotts, after which being done we attended prayers and about 9 o'clock we marched to Charlestown with about 1000 men, and at about 11 o'clock we began to entrench in sight of Boston and the shipping. At the sun's rising, they began to fire upon us from the shiping, the 3d or 4th shot they killed one man, and many others escaped very narrowly. At length they ceased their fire. Our work went on continually; they began about 8 or 9 o'clock from Corps Hill and continued a hot fire.

"About 2 or 3 o'clock the enemy landed and advanced toward us, its thot to the number of 2000 men, and soon planted their cannon and began the fire and advancing up to our Fort. After they came within gunshot we fired, and then ensued a very hot engagement. After a number of shots passed, the enemy retreated, and we ceased our fire for a few minutes. They advanced again, and we began a hot fire for a short time. The enemy scaling our walls and the number of men being few, we was ordered to retreat, at which time they enemy was allmost round us and a continual firing at our heals."

Omit Second Repulse

This paragraph of the journal gives us a true and vivid picture of one of the most historic battles of the entire conflict. It will be observed, however, that no mention is made of the second repulse, which our histories now relate. This omission, on the part of one so closely engaged in the battle, is certainly noticeable.

The day following this battle, news reached Andover, and the tidings were anything but glad. The day was the Sabbath. When its sacred dawn broke over the hillsides of Andover the town was in a state of excitement. Uncertainty, anxiety and grief reigned in the town and it was rumored that a large number of her sons and husbands had been either killed or wounded.

The thoughts of all turned to Cambridge. All who were able to leave the town, hastened to the scene of the battle. The Rev. Jonathan French, pastor of the South Church, who was in his earlier life a soldier and afterwards a military surgeon, seized his Bible and some surgical instruments, and hastened to give aid to the wounded. He entered to give aid to the wounded. He entered an account of that Sabbath day in June, which proves of interest.—

Churches Closed for Fear

"Our houses of public worship were generally shut up. It was the case here. When the news of the battle reached us, the anxiety and distress of wives and children, of parents, of brothers, sisters and friends was great. It was not known who were among the slain or living, the wounded or the well. It was throught justifiable for us who could repair to the camp, to known the circumstances, to join in the defence of the country and prevent the enemy from pushing the advantages they had gained, and to afford comfort and relief to our suffering brethren and friends."

As all know, the months that followed were filled with intense fear and suffering. The Andover soldiers were doubtless better cared for than were those from a distance. Dr. Thomas Kittredge, of the North Parish, was the surgeon in Colonel Frye's regiment, and he probably gave special care to his wounded fellow-townsmen and acquaintances.

"But with all these alleviations, not a few of Andover's homes were made desolate by these glorious battles, which awakened a nation to a consciousness of the power within it, and to a determination to use that power for the preservation of its rights."

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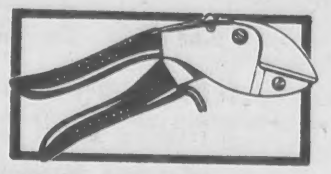

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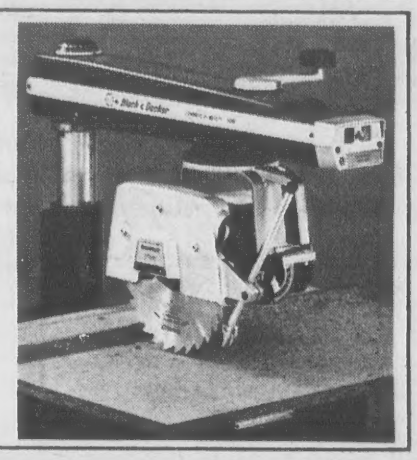

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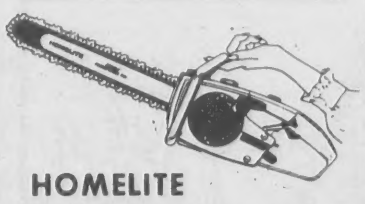

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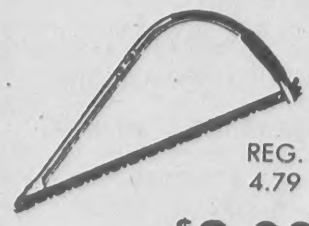

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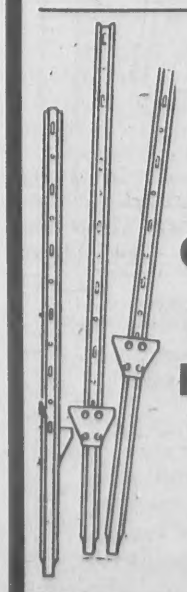

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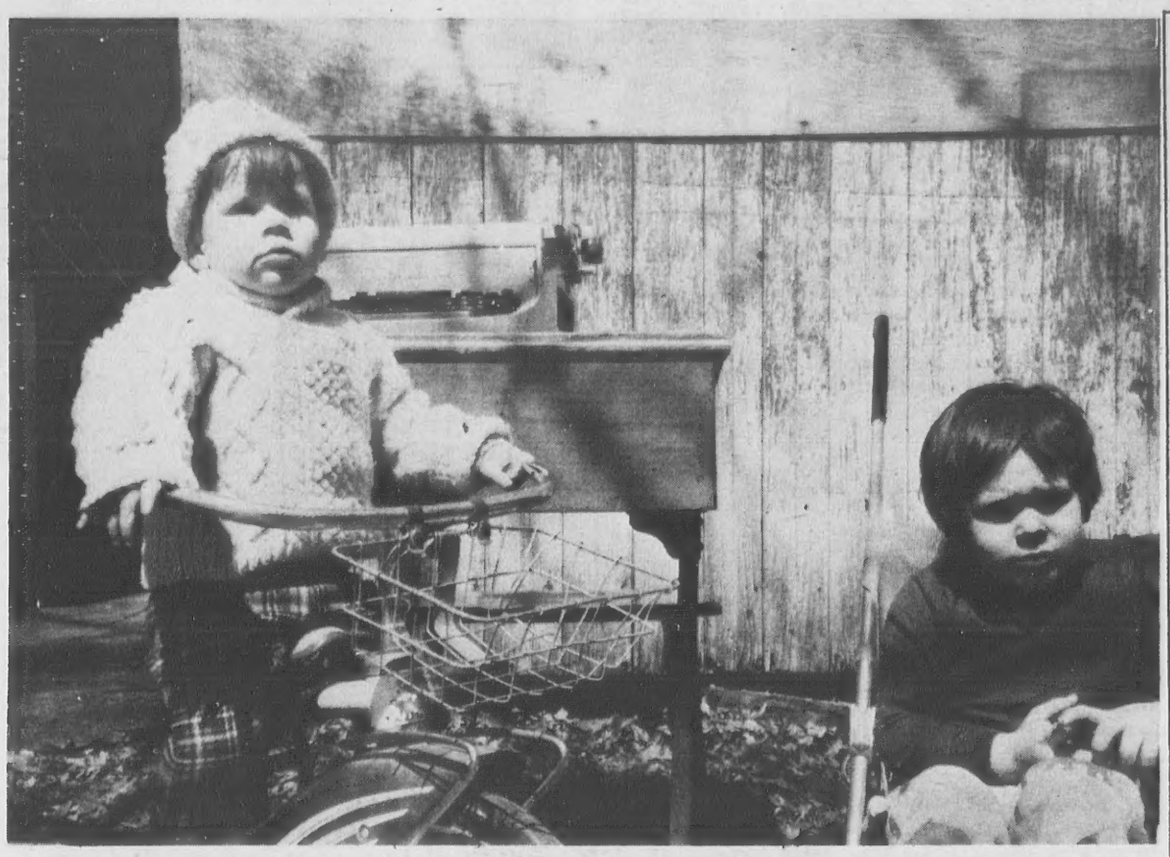

Bargain Hunters

Alex Sumberg and Mark Driscoll get an advance look at some of the items to be offered at the annual Recycling Auction to be held at Andover Recreation Park, May 3.

Andover residents are busy these days, cleaning cellars and attics finding usable but no longer wanted items to be offered at the Recycling Auction set for May 3. The auction is scheduled for Saturday, May 3 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., rain or shine.

So far such special items as Victorian candelabra, wooden skis, trikes, back-to-basics school desks, bedsteads and a large TV-Stero console have been gathered to be subject to the auctioneer's gavel.

A pool table in very good condition will go to the highest bidder.

Ralph Sharpe and Philip K. Allen will again act as auctioneers for the event.

All proceeds go to the town treasury.

Pickup of large, bulky items may be accomplished by telephoning 475-5864 or 475-0779.

Patriot's Day will be reenacted at the North Reading Common April 19. Ephraim Pratt was the local "Paul Revere."

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The French students have had four to seven years of English language study and range in age from 14 to 21. "AVEL" was founded in 1957 by the Professors Bernard Aubert and Julien Ermisse who still head the organization, which is headquartered in Tours, France.

For further details about this program, you may contact the area co-ordinator, Sandra Lee Prunieau, 12 College Circle, Andover.

On Dean's List

Coast Guard Cadet Scott J. Johnson of 4 Rocky Hill Road, Andover, has been placed on the Dean's list at the U.S. Coast Guard Academy, New London, Conn.

He was commended for his superior academic achievement during the first semester of this school year.

Upon completion of the academy's four-year curriculum, Johnson will receive a bachelor of science degree and be commissioned a Coast Guard ensign.

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75 Years Ago - April, 1900

The watering carts were out for the first time last Saturday. It will cost the town a pretty penny this year as the valves in every supply pipe have been cracked by the cold and new ones will have to be substituted.

Ten car loads of rails for the new electric road have arrived at the depot, and are being teamed by Ammon Richardson. They are being carted to South Main street "over the hill" from where the connecting to the state road will take place.

Arthur Goodrich, superintendent of J.W. Barnard and Sons Shoe factory, has resigned his position to accept a more lucrative and better position with the Atlas Shoe Co. in Boston.

W. H. Gibson of the Andover Steam Laundry, has sold a pair of horses to John B. Anderson of Maple Avenue, and has purchased a valuable one to go with his handsome new delivery wagon.

A meeting of the Florists and Gardeners Club was held in town hall Monday night at which initial plans for the fall exhibition were discussed.

50 Years Ago - April, 1925

Alfred L. Ripley, president of the Merchant's National Bank of Boston, was re-elected president of the Boston Clearing House Association at the annual meeting at the Federal Reserve Bank, Boston, Thursday.

Appointed to the Finance Committee for the coming year by Moderator Alfred E. Stearns, are Henry A. Bodwell, John C. Angus, Chester W. Holland, William C. Crowley, George N. Winslow, George L. Averill and Walter M. Lamont.

The committee in charge of the second annual dance of the Tyer Rubber Co., Relief Association, includes Miss Eileen Dalton, Miss Eva Zecchini, Mrs. Katherine McNally and Miss Alice Hurley.

Rev. Clifford W. Reynolds, pastor of the Methodist church in Ballardvale was returned to the parish for another year by the recent session of the New England Conference.

Tickets for the annual Punchard Alumni dance to be held in the school hall this weekend may be obtained from Miss Marion Hill, Arthur Fallon, Miss Beatrice Poland, Charles Dalton and Fred Cheever.

25 Years Ago - April, 1950

Paul Hogan, 22, of 20 Morton St., who is on a hitch hike tour of Europe was the dinner guest this week of the Mayor of Andover, England.

Robert L. Jones, director of Wildlife and Research Management of the state Conservation department addressed the members of the Andover Sportmens club this week.

Dr. Ray S. Youmans conducted the second in a series of Rabies Clinics at the Shawsheen school last Saturday. The final clinic will be this Saturday at the fire station.

Congressman John F. Kennedy of Boston was the principal speaker at the Federation of Holy Name Societies Communion Breakfast Sunday at Merrimack College.

The annual Andover Police Ball and entertainment was held in Memorial Auditorium Friday night. Assisting Chief George Dane, honorary chairman, were Sgts. William R. Hickey and David L. Nicoll, Patrolmen James R. Lynch, John Deyermond, Richard Caldwell and Roy Russell.

10 Years Ago - April, 1965

The school committee this week received a petition seeking the introduction of Spanish as a language course at the high school.

The board of selectmen has asked town employees to stop quibbling and accept the new pay plan as recommended by the town manager and endorsed by the board.

Miss Eunice Stack, a teacher in the Central and Stowe school for 46 years, announces her retirement, effective in September.

Planning Board examines plans of Ryan Construction Co., for development of 37 lots off River Road.

Andover's population is now 20,551, according to records given the selectmen this week by Town Clerk Irving O. Piper.

Fire Log

The Andover Fire Department responded to the following calls between April 8 and April 14.

April 9 - Railroad St., Augustine Sheehy, accidental alarm.

April 10 - 165 Elm St., Paul Palenski, car fire; Lowell St., Temple Emanuel, brush fire; off Mt. Vernon St., Temple Emanuel, brush fire; off Chandler Circle, Andover Country Club, brush fire.

April 12 - 6 Donna Circle, Joseph Palermo, grass fire; Woburn St., Mr. Swan, car fire; 257 Lowell St., owner unknown, grass fire; off Sparkle Drive, owner unknown, brush fire; Central St., St. Augustine's Parish, false alarm.

April 13 - Tucker Road, Andrew Girdwood, brush fire.

April 14 - 234 So. Main St., Mr. Miller, chimney fire; River Road, New England Power Co., brush fire.

The Andover Fire Department ambulance responded to 12 fires during the same period.

Audubon Course In Andover

Massachusetts Audubon Society's Ipswich River Wildlife Sanctuary is pleased to announce a special field course for adults to be held in Andover this spring with Elizabeth Darlington of the Hatheway Institute of Environmental Education as leader. **Spring in Field, Forest and Marsh** is a five week course beginning Wednesday morning, April 23, which will concentrate on the wild flowers and trees of the Andover region along with the little animals and insects who make their homes among them. Mrs. Darlington is an experienced naturalist who combines many years of teaching and field work with never ending curiosity and great personal charm. The class will be an opportunity for lovers of the outdoors to brush up on their knowledge, as well as for beginners to learn about their local woods and waterways in an informal atmosphere.

Registration is limited to 15 people and Mass. Audubon members will receive a discount on the fee. For further information, call the Sanctuary office (Tuesday through Friday) or write: Ipswich River Wildlife Sanctuary, Perkins Row, Topsfield 01983.

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Educational Workshop At Bancroft

Over thirty local educators from Northeastern Massachusetts participated recently in a one day workshop on Sex Equality in Guidance Opportunities at the Bancroft School, where Jack Coyle, principal, hosted the workshop, which assisted educators in equalizing educational and career opportunities for students in the area. The workshop was funded by the American Personnel and Guidance Association.

Dr. Kenneth Seifert, superintendent of schools in Andover, welcomed the participants. The workshop was one of five held in Massachusetts this spring to assist school districts in complying with the state and federal laws regarding equality for girls, women, boys, and men in curriculum planning, Guidance, Counseling, and Athletics. Elizabeth Cahoon, Andover Counselor, Laurie Kanter, Andover Counselor and Grace Jamison, Andover Kindergarten Teacher, contributed to the workshop activities.

State trainer for the project, Mrs. Mary Dunnington Mitchel of Acton, outlined methods for local educators to make changes within the school system to comply with legal requirements and equalize opportunities for educational experiences and career possibilities for boys and girls. Mrs. Mitchel was trained in sex fair guidance practices and attitudes in Washington, D.C. She has been a Guidance Counselor in Concord for twelve years.

For Those Of Us Who Are Older

Because of the school holidays next week there will be no hot lunch program at West Elementary School nor will there be any swimming at the Voke School Monday night, April 21. Both programs will resume April 28.

A few places remain for the April 24 trip to Gloucester and the Hammond Museum with lunch ar The Marguery. Stop by The Haven and make your reservation. Time is getting very short.

If you have not purchased your tickets for the Spring Festival Dinner Dance, May 2, do not delay. One of the highlights of the evening at West Elementary School will be the presentations of the Andover Male Choir. Chet Harnden will provide music for dancing. Cost including dinner is only $2.50 per person, tickets available at The Haven, 25 Barnard St.

Volunteer drivers are very much needed to help transport senior citizens to and from the hot lunch program at West Elementary School. If you have some time in the middle of the day to assist The Haven in this venture, you are urged to call the Director, Mrs. Doris Hudgins at 475-3968 or 475-4165 for more information and to volunteer.

Greenwood Wins Derby

The roar of the crowd made up for the lack of noise from the cars, as the miniature racing vehicles zoomed to the finish line in the recent Pinewood Derby conducted by Cub Pack 72, Free Christian church.

The designs of the cars ranged from a bicentennial rocket car to sleek looking racing cars and a fast moving fire truck.

When the checkered flag came down, Ned Williams and Paul Avery were tied for third place, Ronnie Nadeau had captured second spot and Floyd Greenwood was the first place trophy winner.

Before the Great Race began, the following awards were presented: Mac Larson, Robert Wilson, Leonard Smith. Floyd Greenwood, Todd Deery, Matthew Leonard, Leonard Smith and Diarmaid O'Donaghue, wolf; Diarmaid O'Donaghue, one gold and three silver arrows; Leonard Smith, one gold and two silver arrows; Floyd Greenwood, Todd Deery, Matthew Leonard, Grant Van Aken and Richard Varisek, one gold arrow; Eric Ziady, bear; Phil Baun, citizen and Sean Persing, aquanaut.

Historians In Annual Meeting

The sixty-fourth Annual Meeting of the Andover Historical Society will be held at the Amos Blanchard House, 97 Main St., on Thursday, April 17, at 8 p.m.

Following the presentation of reports and election of officers, members of the Andover Bicentennial Committee will participate in a discussion of the celebration plans which are currently under consideration.

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When the 5:30 pulled out of North Station last Friday night, Andover commuters were conducted into the front care to celebrate the Town meeting decision to subsidize the train for another year. Festivities were complete with some do-it-yourself whistle tooting.

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Apro pos, as Andover Town Meeting was about to consider next year's budget, was the Rev. Hollenbeck's invocation. He asked that human values not take a back seat to property values.

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I pays to tag along with an old hat on one's first trip to Town meeting, to find out who's who. William Dalton was pointed out to one newcomer as "a very good moderator . . . with a tremendous sense of humor." The neighbor neglected to mention that Dalton also has a new harido this year.

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Renowned organist E. Power Biggs, suggested in his lecture that if Phillips Academy buy an organ, it be one made "the way in which God intended" . . . that is, the "trapper" type, without electricity. He did, however, pay tribute to Mr. Edison for providing the means by which his playing on organs around the world could be replayed in P.A.'s George Washington Hall, even in quadraphonic sound for his visit April 4.

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Perhaps indicative of the whole sad state of Co-Op affairs was that the bus to take stockholders without rides from the Co-Op to the annual meeting at West Elementary Schoo!, rumbled away from the curb with a load of three.

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Many new educational programs and events will be included in the 61st annual open house at the Essex Agricultural and Technical Institute on April 26 and 27.

Exhibits and demonstrations by students in the high school, post-secondary and college division will depict endeavors and objectives of their occupational programs. They include programs in gourmet cooking, nursing, beauty culture and hair fashion, animal science and natural resources, and all phases of agriculture and horticulture.

Dan Hurld, Jr. will present the "Down on the Farm" show featuring all the farm animals including Crimson Beauty, the little red hen that quit laying eggs, cow milking, pig driving, and other barnyard secrets. Other shows include camping and sportsmen, model aircraft flying, horse field day, antique autos, drum and bugle, dog training, 3 acre scouting exhibit, vegetable and flower gardening, and tractor pulling.

Members of the following county organizations will be participating: Essex County Goat 4-H Assn., League of Sportsmen, Lynn and Danvers Fish and Game Clubs, North Shore Old Car Club, Colonial Retrievers' Field Trial Club, Ducks Unlimited, Logburners Family Camping, Wonalancet Wanderers, 4-H Model Aircraft, Essex County Police K-9 Assn., U.S. Bureau of Fisheries, Blue Angels, Chuting Stars and Stardusters, Danvers Boy Scout Troop 16, Mass. Garden Club Federation, North Shore Divers, Redmen Revolver, Plum Island Surf Casters and Light Liners, Edsel Auto Club, County Beekeepers Assn., and Parker River National Refuge.

Admission is free for all events.

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This Spring the Annual Lecture and May Basket Lunch at the Essex Institute in Salem will be on Thursday morning, May 1 at 11 o'clock with Dr. William H. Pierson, Jr., Massachusetts Professor of Art Emeritus from Williams College, speaking on "Samuel McIntire, Neo Classicist: Art and Music in New England at the turn of the Nineteenth Century."

The speaker, recognizing the fact that all artists are influenced by their times, plans to present McIntire in the context of his age, showing how his work reflected Nineteenth Century painting, music and decorative arts. For our audience and for McIntire, this is a unique and discriminating approach.

The 11 o'clock Lecture will be followed by the May Basket Lunch, served between 12 and 2 o'clock, for which reservations must be made.

Mrs. William A. Slade, Jr. of Marblehead is Chairman of this year's lecture, assisted by members of the Ladies Committee: Mrs. J.J. Zelinski of Boxford and Mrs. Allyn Y. Fields of Andover. Mrs. Emerson T. Oliver of Marblehead is chairman of the Ladies' Committee.

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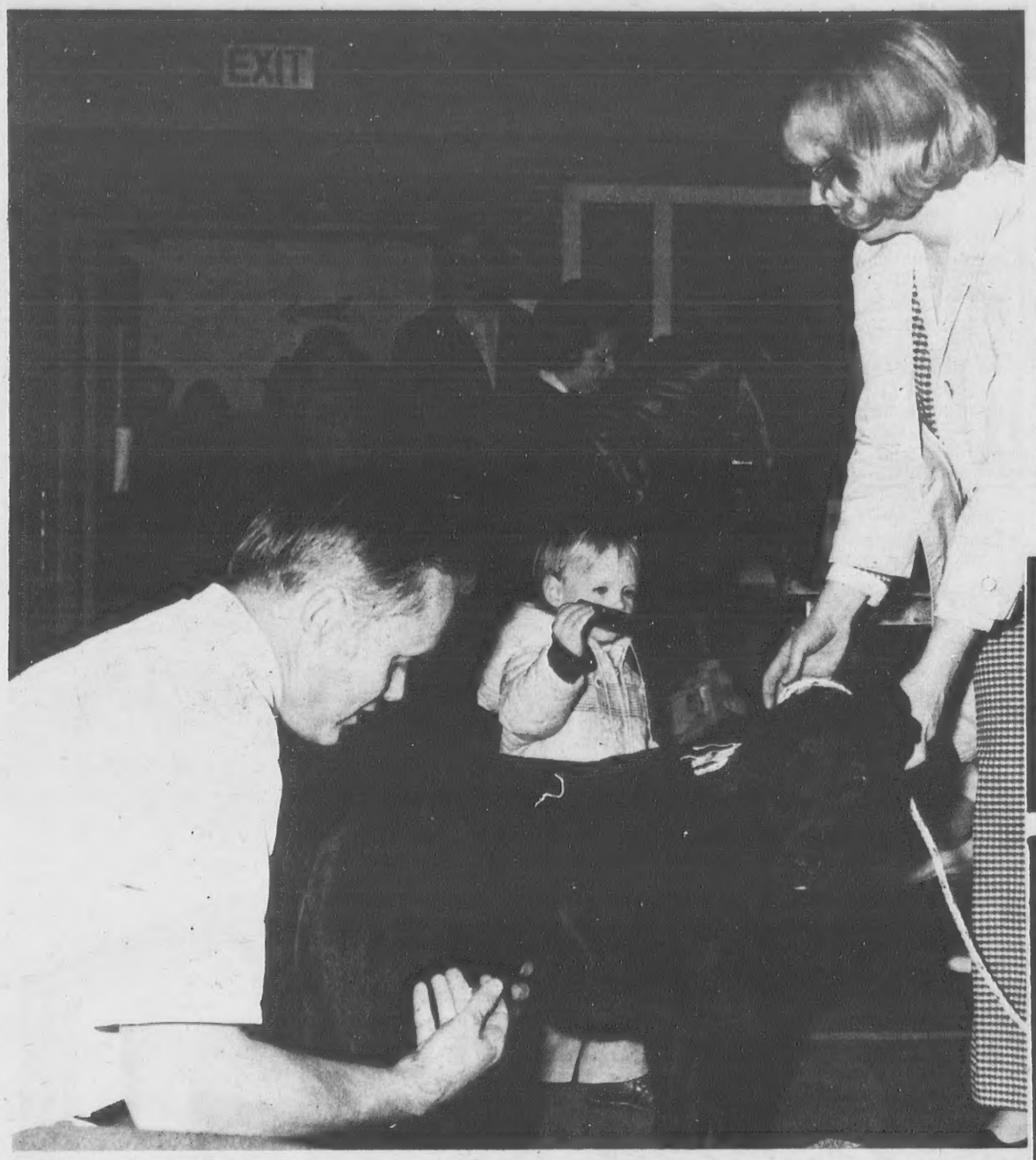

Believe Me A Dog's Life's No Fun

Andover dogs sure have it rough these days. Tuesday night town meeting voted to further limit their freedom by ordering them restrained on collection day. Last Saturday, "Brandy" was subjected to his innoculation during the annual Rabies clinic, conducted by Dr. Richard V. Lindsay, here giving a shot to Brandy, while toddling master Jill Walsh offers a consolation and Kelly Walsh holds the leash.

LL Umpires Schedule Meeting

Any persons interested in helping the Little League by umpiring this year are asked to attend a meeting on April 17 at 7:30 p.m. at the Modicon Conference room at the old Raytheon plant off York Street.

This meeting will also be for those who have previously signed up. There will be clinics for the inexperienced prior to the start of the season. If unable to attend this meeting and would like to umpire, contact Don Rathbun. Help in this area is strongly needed and prior experience is not necessary.

In UMass Program

Elaine Mahenke, 18 Lincoln Circle, Andover, is enrolled in the Legal Studies Program at the University of Massachusetts, Amherst, a course of study intended to explore the purposes and functions of law in society.

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Art Fest Winners Announced

The Arts Festival Committee of the Unitarian - Universalist Church of Andover has announced the winners of their recent art show. The winners were determined by audience balloting in six categories, and Best in Show.

Best in Show was Laura Grande's pastel, "Little Miss Muffet." In the category of oil and acrylic, top vote-getter was "Sno-Gnome" by Mary Stevens, with second place going to an untitled painting by Cindy Townsend.

Category two included watercolors and other painting and drawing. First place went to Corinne Staid's "Morning," and second place went to Laura Grande's "Little Miss Muffet."

Category three, Sculpture, had as its first place winner "Calligraphy," by Ann Cleveland Lange. Second place went to G. Kerlin Miller's stoneware, "Teaching."

First place in category four, Photography, went to William Buss' "Sunset." Second place winner was "Patterns on the Pond," by Lynn Loscutoff.

In Category five, Graphics, the first place vote-getter was "Paddock," by Janvier Miller, and second place went to Abe Schenk's "Cosmic Reflections."

Category six included all other types of art work. First place went to Glen Grant's handcarved cherry cabinet. Second place went to a macrame hanging with bells by Lois J. LaRock.

10th Regiment

The Chelmsford, Massachusetts Bicentennial Commission will host a full-scale 18th century military Review featuring the elite recreated 100-man American Contingent of the British 10th Regiment of Foot on Sunday, April 20, at 1 p.m. at McCarthy Field located at the junctions of Routes 3 and 4.

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Troop 68 Members Get Badges

Troop 68 Junior Girl Scouts of St. Augustine's parish recently held an award ceremony in the school hall in recognition of badge work.

Receiving badges were: Jill LoPresti, Linda Ahles, Julie Burke, Charlotte Grant, Lea Trede, Rhonda Sheridan, Mary Emmons, Jean Oelwang, Chrsitine Fortier, Norma Jean Paris, health aid, home health, safety; Mary Ferragamo, Eileen Fitzgerald, Terri Anne McGettrick, Kim Byrne, Susie Mae Katis, Maria McCann, needlecraft; Janine Cahill, Joyce Mower, Dottie Kearns, Marianne Morrison, Andrea Holbrook, Julie King, sewing.

The girls also voted on new patrol leaders and the following mothers pinned patrol cords on their daughters: Mrs. Mary Byrne, daughter Kim; Nora Mower, Joyce.

The following girls presented corsages and thank you notes to mothers for assisting in badge work: Mary Farragamo to Mrs. Claudia Trede, Lea Trede to Mrs. Nora Mower, Norma Jean Paris, to Mrs. Ginny Cahill, Julie King to Mrs. Mary Oelwang.

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School Libraries A Showplace For Visitors

West Elementary School's media center was cited in a report of New England schools, as traditional architecturally, but "attractive and busy, with a variety of activities underway." Here youngsters work in the individual study carrels.

This is National Library Week, and Mrs. Annette Freedman, director of libraries for Andover schools, took the opportunity to sing some praises of the local program, and cite some shortcomings as well.

Among the priority needs, she said, are more library space for the Sanborn School Library, and the junior highs.

While there's been an attempt to give each of the nine school libraries - - or media centers - - a fair shake in resources, she said, the facilities are just not yet in line.

Meanwhile, she gets more calls for out-of-town visitors than she can handle - - indicating that "we must be doing something right."

Mrs. Freedman said Andover has been visited by people from every state in New England - - including nine the day before from Keene, N.H., and Boston University graduate classes every term.

These are largely the result of favorable press in a booklet published not long ago by the New England School Development Council, on library media programs.

Andover rated well in the first place, Mrs. Freedman said, because the old-fashioned library had been replaced in each school with the "media center" concept, which combines both print and non-print materials under one roof.

In other words, in addition to books and other research materials in print, there are also audio materials via cassettes and reels, and phonographs, and visual aids on filmstrips, slides, overhead projectors, microfilm, TV sets and the like.

The way children learn today, Mrs. Freedman said, they have to have many materials, and the logical place to have them is in the media center.

The media center, she goes on, is unlike any other discipline - - it supports the entire school, not just one program.

She gives an example of a music class studying "The Nutcracker Suite." In addition to listening to the composition, there is a filmstrip about it, plus print materials on Tchaikovsky, the composer, all in the media center. There are similar multimedia materials for math, physical education, science, social studies, literature, art, she says.

Seemingly, she said, Andover's media centers have one over-all coordinator - - herself - - as well as a certified media librarian in every school.

Some schools also have teacher aides or parent volunteers, who allow the librarians to spend more time with the youngsters who come individually, or by class, to the center.

Even in the elementary schools, Mrs. Freedman goes on, all children from kindergarten on up have the right to check out as many books as they would like, and are encouraged to use the other facilities. Most come at least once a week, she says, and many others, with flexible scheduling, can come on their own if they have finished other work.

Andover's 6,000-plus pupils provided a total library circulation of 15,432 in March.

The report on New England schools particularly gave mention to Bancroft, Shawsheen and West Elementary schools.

It described Bancroft as a new, open concept school, with an easily accessible "hub" library, surrounded by instructional areas. The center, it said, is

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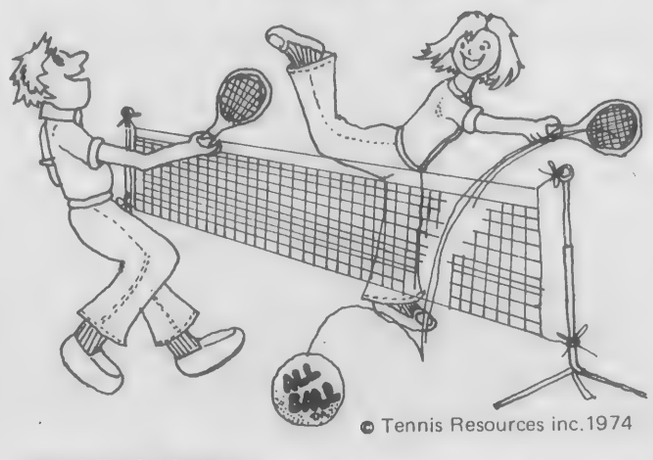

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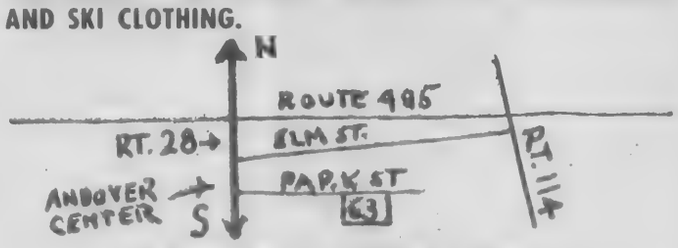

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Neediest media center in town, in terms of space, is Sanborn School's. Here youngsters crowd together in the study carrel area. Resources, however, are generally equal from school to school.

School Libraries

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Though more traditional architecturally, the report called West's media center "attractive and busy, with a variety of activities underway."

It also cited Shawsheen as an example of an old school whose remodeled auditorium serves as a media center, with "as exciting a program as a brand new facility." It noted the easy access, casual atmosphere and individual freedom there.

Doherty School's renovations have also produced a large media center and last summer, South School's media center was enlarged and renovated.

Sanborn, Mrs. Freedman said, is the only elementary school in which facilities are "really inadequate."

The resources are there, she pointed out, but the facilities are so cramped that it is difficult to make full use of them.

"We would either have to knock down walls," she says - - quickly adding that knocking down library walls is not like taking down the walls of a classroom - - "or move to a different area."

Funds for the purpose were struck from next year's budget by the school committee, but Mrs. Freedman still hopes that funds could be made available in some way for some short-term improvements.

The junior high school media centers are also in dire need of space, she went on, especially East Junior High, "which seats very few pupils."

In the junior highs, she said, if a whole class comes to the center to work on a project, there's no room for individual pupils to come on their own.

While the school committee hasn't increased library funds, they haven't decreased them either, and with the state of the economy, Mrs. Freedman added that that wasn't so bad.

Chamber To Honor Goldstein

William L. Lane, chairman of the Greater Lawrence Chamber of Commerce Annual Dinner Committee, has announced the selection of Attorney Max Goldstein of 26 Logan St., Lawrence, as the recipient of the Ralph B. Wilkinson Award for 1975.

According to Lane, Attorney Goldstein was selected from among a number of nominations that had been submitted to the Committee. In commenting on the selection Lane noted, "Max Goldstein was the number one choice of all members of the committee."

One of Greater Lawrence's best known citizens, Goldstein was recognized for his contribution to community welfare, his exhibition of leadership ability and his cooperation with individuals in civic organizations.

Often referred to as the Dean of the Greater Lawrence Bar, Attorney Goldstein was the recipient of an honorary Dostorate awarded to him by Suffolk University in 1974 recognizing his scholarship, civic contributions and helpful influence on the practicing Bar. He has been a member of the Massachusetts Bar for the past 53 years.

Youngster TV Winner At Bank

To celebrate the opening of its new Andover Street branch, Essex Broadway Savings Bank gave away a console color TV set and a ten-speed bike.

The winners, ten year old Wesley Doda of Wesley Street, Lawrence, won the color TV for his very own and Ann Campione of 177 Massachusetts Ave., North Andover, won the ten-speed bike.

John Fitzpatrick, president of Essex Bradway Savings Bank, awarded the top prize to Wesley Doda

Vacation Week Special

Massachusetts Audubon Society's Ipswich River Wildlife Sanctuary is planning a special day of nature games and crafts for boys and girls aged 6 to 8 on Tuesday, April 22. Spring Thing is a one and a half hour program of spring activities for children at the Nature Center on Cherry Street in Wenham which will be held at 10 in the morning and again at 1 in the afternoon. The program includes a treasure hunt, some outdoor games and a "build a bird" workshop. Limited to 15, advance registration and payment are necessary. Parents are free if they wish to come, too. For further information, call the Sanctuary office, Tuesday through Friday.

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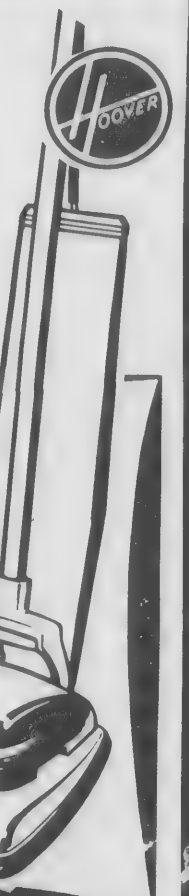

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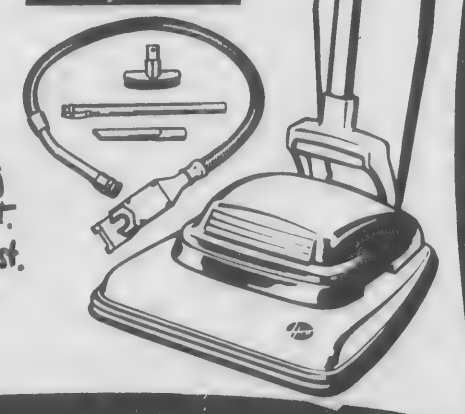

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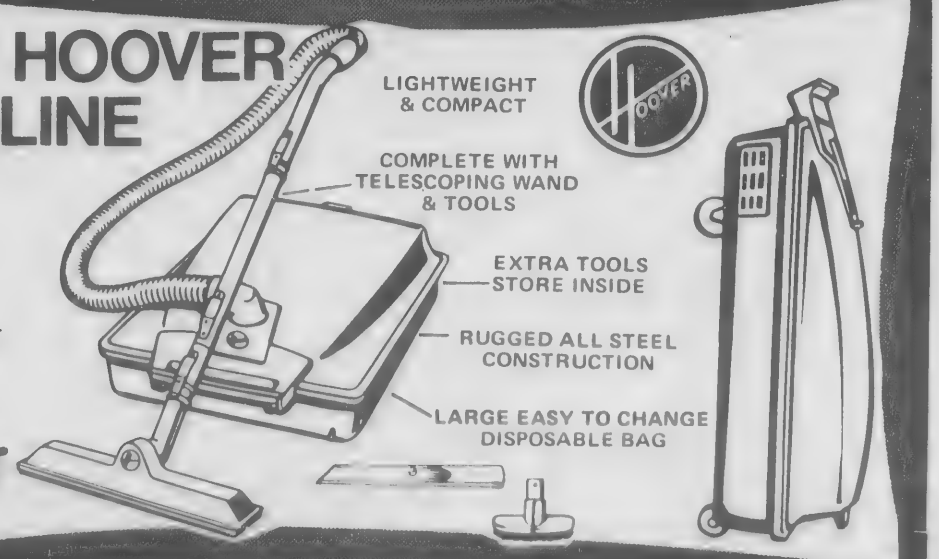

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Lucretia Lyons and Gwen Smith of the Memorial Hall library staff, view one of the displays at Memorial Hall library which is conducting a "Women Seen" program as part of the National Library Week observance.

Viewing A Display

Memorial Hall Library

There's still time to catch some of the events at the library in celebration of National Library Week and International Women's Year. On Thursday, April 17 at 10:30 a.m. and again at 1:30 p.m., a series of films relating to women's issues will be screened. These include Betty Tells a Story, Janie's Jane, Salt of the Earth, Women's Liberation and others. The evening events, beginning at 8 p.m., include a varied presentation of original poetry, modern music, Elizabethan song, modern dance and string ensemble music.

The last day of Woman Seen, Friday, April 18, is centered around the theme of Reality. There's a full day's program, starting at 9:30 a.m. with a view of "The Whole World's Women" followed by four discussion groups: The Single Parent; Sexism and the Adult Male; Alternative Lifestyles; and, The Mature Woman - - Goals and Aspirations. There will be a one half hour break (bring your lunch) and at 12:30 the program will continue with a panel discussion, "Women Today and Tomorrow, How I See Them," with participants representing a wide range of interests and views.

The final event is a presentation by Lola Dickerman, the Secretary of Consumer Affairs, on "The Role of Women in Today's World."

Rep. Tsongas To Speak At Library

The Honarable Paul Tsongas, Representative to the U.S. Congress from District 5, will speak at Memorial Hall Library on Friday, April 25 at 8 p.m. This will be an open meeting and the public is welcome.

Gardening Talk

John McLay of McLay's Flower and Garden Center in North Andover, will give his second talk in a three part series, Tuesday, April 22 at 8 p.m. He will discuss flowers, shrubs and lawns. Bring your questions.

Attention Speed Reading Students

Those students who missed the last class pick up progress sheets at the library's circulation desk.

A new series of speed reading lectures is being planned for the near future. Watch this column for details.

Children's Room News
By Jan Johnson

Tomorrow, Friday, April 18 is the day you've been waiting for. The Cranberry Puppets will perform an hour-long program in the Hall beginning at 4. They plan to do **The Little Pigs, The Lion and The Mouse, The Three Billy Goats Gruff** and **Pierre.** All children are invited. We do ask that parents plan to stay with children who are under 6 years of age. Don't miss it.

You are probably looking for things to do during vacation. Join us on Tuesday, April 22 at 10:30 for an hour Sing Along. We'll sing old favorites and make up some new songs too. All children in grades k-6 invited.

On Wednesday, April 23 at 10:30 we invite you to discover the richness of the Jewish heritage when you share an hour of folk tales and stories from around the world. Children gardes 1-6 are welcome but the stories are too long for anyone younger than that.

Mrs. Carol DeLeire was forced to postpone her February vacation filmmaking workshops to this week. This series on filmmaking without a camera is open to children in grades 1-6 only and children must be able to attend both sessions (Thursday, April 24 and Friday, April 25 from 10:30 - 12). Please register your child at the Children's Room desk by 9 p.m. April 22. Of course, all children registered for the February workshops are included, but please re-register so we'll know of your continued interest.

On Dean's List

Patricia Anne Kelley, daughter **of Mrs.** Lillian Kelley of 528 **South** Main Street, Andover, **has made** the Dean's list for the second term at New England Aeronautical Institute and Daniel Webster College, Nashua. To make the Dean's list a 3.2 grade point average for the term is required.

Patricia, a senior at NEAI/DWC, is doing her course work in general studies.

Watercolor Artist To Be Featured

The Andover Artists Guild will have Thaddeus Klodnicki as its guest Sunday, April 20, at its 2:30 p.m. meeting at the Bay State National Basnk building.

Mr. Klodnicki is an accomplished watercolorist and teacher in Reading and Rockport and will give a demonstration at the meeting on Sunday.

Refreshments will be served, with Mrs. Arthur Glines, hostess, assisted by Mrs. James Jamison and Mrs. Allen Copeland.

The meeting is open to the public.

Book Sale June 20-21

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Senior League Tryouts

The Andover Senior League will hold registration and tryouts beginning on Saturday, April 16, at the Andover High school field at 1 p.m. The senior league is an extension of Little League baseball and provides a continuing baseball activity for youths 13 through 15 years of age.

The league is open to all youths who will not reach their 16th birthday before Aug. 1, 1975.

There are six teams in two divisions, American and National leagues, each team playing a schedule of 15 games during a five week period, May 27 through June 27. Town championship playoffs are conducted July 2, 4 and 5.

Each team has a roster of 15 players with a limit of no more than six in each age group.

Registration forms may be obtained at Dana's and the Central fire station. The forms must be signed by parents, and, for new candidates, must be accompanied by a photostat of a birth certificate. A registration fee of $20 to defray costs will be required.

Tryout schedule provides for 13 year olds to report to the high school field April 26, 27, May 3 or 4 between 1 and 2:30 p.m. and 14 and 15 year olds on the same dates between 2:30 and 4 p.m.

Gym Meet Climaxes Winter Team At Y

A first YMCA Gymnastics Meet for girl members proved most successful attracting an excellent group of competitors and a gym full of interested spectators.

A beginners' division only was conducted in this climax to Winter Term instruction. In succeeding program terms additional skill levels will be added. Conducted as a Novice Meet the rules stipulate that the winner of any event may not thereafter enter that event, in the same ability division. Outstanding performers are thereby eliminated to encourage less able gymnasts to compete for vacated leading positions. YMCA Gymnastics Chairman Bevolyn Oliver directed the meet with Sharon Coon and Janet Mead assisting as Squad Leaders. Judges were Susan Childs, Janet Moreau, Becky Meier and Elaine Kelley; scorers were Elizabeth Farr and Susan Leslie.

In the 8 years and under division the Outstanding Gymnast trophy was won by Kara Oliver, who took first places in the Uneven Bars, Vaulting and All-Around. Cindy Magg was first in Floor Exercise and Balance Beam. Other place winners included Elizabeth Donahue, Kristen Donovan, Pat Kenney and Nicole Marcella.

Shari Coon was the Outstanding Gymnast in the 9 and 10 year division and took top honors in the All-Around, Uneven Bars and Floor Exercise. Wendy Ritter won the Balance Beam and Elaine Glynn won the Vaulting. Other place winners were Doreen DeNitto, Jennifer Limburg, Aveen Kenney, Brenda Elias and Jennifer Davis.

Kristen Oliver won the Outstanding trophy for 11 and 12 year olds and made a clean sweep of all five individual events. Other place winners were Rhonda Bedell, Edith Harris, Sara Leavitt, Meaghan Hanawalt and Lisa Johnson.

Brenda Slipkowski was the outstanding performer for girls 13 and 14 years of age, and she also took all first places, with Kyle Kelley second behind her in each event.

Lynn Gyeska was Outstanding Performer in the 15 and over division. She won first places in the All-Around, Uneven Bars, Vaulting and Balance Beam. Patricia MacDonald was first in Floor Exercise and the only other place winner was Lisa Slipkowsky.

Awarded Numeral

Michael George Muto, a freshman at Trinity College, Hartford, Conn., has been awarded a freshman numeral for the 1974-1975 squash season. Muto was a member of the 10-4 freshman team.

Muto, the son of Dr. and Mrs. Rudolph Muto of 24 William St., Andover, is a 1974 graduate of Brooks School.

Muto had a 9-4 individual match record for the Bantams.

Graduates

Navy Seaman William H. Weber, son of Mrs. Joan A. Weber of 37 Fernview Ave., North Andover, graduated from recruit training at the Naval Training Center, Orlando, Fla.

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Andover High School Coach Howard Tozier accepts the third place team trophy from Robert Pike (left), following the Marine Corps Eastern Massachusetts Regional Youth Physical Fitness Competition. Team members are, from left to right: (front row) John Krikorian; Duncan Black; Paul Rindone; and (back row Tom Henderson; Jerry Stabile; and David Mirisola. Duncan Black holds a trophy and teammade David Mirisola wears an additional medal, for their individual high-scoring efforts.

Physical Fitness Winners

Regional Champs Crowned

Bedford High School led an Eastern Massachusetts field of eleven high schools by nearly 150 points to capture their second consecutive Marine Corps Regional Youth Physical Fitness (YPF) Championship March 22.

North Andover High School hosted the Saturday morning competition, co-sponsored by the Robert Pike Insurance Agency of Milton, and the Marine Corps Recruiting Station, Cambridge. All trophies and medals were furnished, courtesy of the Robert Pike Agency.

Second place honors were nailed down by a team new in the YPF competition, Central Catholic High of Lawrence. Close behind in third place was Andover High, while fourth place was taken by the host school, North Andover.

Individual scoring honors were cornered by Bedford's Dave Damery with 408 out of a possible 500 points. Erik Smith of Bedford, and Duncan Black of Andover, finished second and third with 406 and 398 points, respectively.

The YPF competition is designed to encourage high school students to get into top physical condition by performing a series of five exercises - - pull-ups, sit-ups, push-ups, standing broad jump, and a 300-yard run - - exercises actually used by Marines in their basic training.

Beyond the trophies, medals, and honors won in this regional meet, the six-man high school teams compete for the opportunity to go to the National YPF Meet in Washington, D.C., this June. At stake there are some $5,000 in scholarships and prizes.

In order to qualify for this opportunity, the team scores from the regional competition are forwarded to the First Marine Corps District Headquarters where they are matched with all high school scores in the First District which includes the states of: New Jersey, New York, Rhode Island, Connecticut, Massachusetts, Vermont, New Hampshire and Maine.

The three top scoring high school teams in the First District will receive plaques and, the opportunity to compete in the National YPF Championships. Bedford High School placed fifth in the First District last year.

High schools participating in the Eastern Massachusetts Regional Meet were: Andover; Bedford; Central Catholic; Christopher Columbus, Boston; Everett; Lynn Classical; Mansfield; North Andover; Somerville Technical Trade; Triton Regional, Byfield; and Westford Academy, Westford.

The top three individual high scorers received trophies. The next nine individual high scorers received medals, they were: Karl Smith, 392, Bedford; James Deluca, 384, Central Catholic; Jay Guidetti, 380, Bedford; David Mirisola, 378, Andover; Robert Houston, 378, Central Catholic; James Doherty, 377, Christopher Columbus; Frank Froton, 372, Central Catholic; Bob D'Auria, 369, Bedford; and Charles Otis, 368, North Andover.

Bike Repairs

The Recreation / Community Schools Department is offering a Bicycle Repair Workshop on Thursday, April 24 at the Doherty School gymnasium. General repairs including fixing flats, adjusting derailleurs and replacing cables will be demonstrated. Anyone having a problem with his or her bicycle is welcome to bring the bike, necessary parts, and your own tools to the workshop

Water Safety Instructors' Course Set

A Red Cross Water Safety Instructors' Course will be conducted at the Phillips Academy pool beginning April 17 under the sponsorship of the Greater Lawrence and Andover chapters, American Red Cross.

The Andover Chapter will host the course under Water Safety Chairman Dorothy Christopher. The Lawrence Chapter Water Safety Chairman Robert Bunting will serve as Instructor Trainer. Arrangements are the responsibility of Elaine M. Kent of the Andover - North Andover YMCA staff. Registration blanks may be obtained at either Red Cross office or at the Andover-North Andover YMCA.

Candidates must hold current Red Cross Senior Lifesaving certificates or Red Cross Advanced Life Savings certificates and must be 17 years of age or over on April 17. The 30 hour course will conclude on May 22, sessions being conducted Monday and Thursday of each week, 7-10 p.m.

Renewing Red Cross Water Safety Instructors or those holding YMCA equivalent ratings may start May 8, for the second half of the course. All candidates must be planning to teach if certified.

An exhibit on Benjamin Franklin is open at the Fogg Art Museum, Cambridge, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays; 2 to 5 p.m. Sundays. Admission is free.

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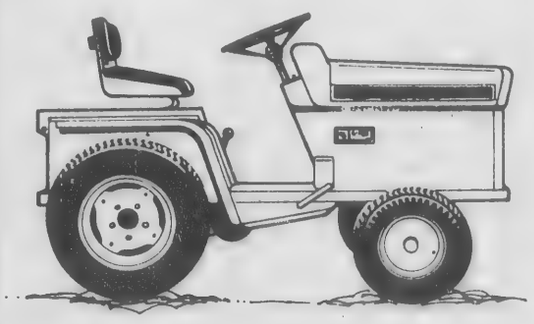

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W. Parish Hoopsters In Championship Form

The West Parish intermediate basketball team continued to win practically everything in sight this season, capturing the Lawrence Jewish Community Center Biddy Basketball League playoff championship last Sunday afternoon with a 47-12 romp over St. Anne's of Lawrence.

The victory gave the West Parish fifth and sixth grade quintet a final overall J.C.C. record of 17-0, while the complete ledger including non-league play is now 25-1.

It also marked the third title for West, which previously earned the regular-season Biddy League crown and the Hampstead, N.H. Tournament championship. In addition, two members of this team were also key competitors of the West Parish club that went 17-0 to earn the Andover Church Basketball League's Intermediate Division title.

West Parish scooted to a fast 7-0 lead against St. Anne's last Sunday as high-scoring guard Chris Doherty netted 3 points while solo buckets came from Ted Kelley and Bob Heidt. Doherty opened the scoring with a steal and pretty underhand driving layup under pressure.

Ted Kelley poured through 8 second quarter markers, including 4-of-4 from the free throw line, as West sped to a 22-6 halftime lead.

Chris Doherty's 6 points in the third stanza helped boost the advantage to 35-8, and in the fourth period Glen Johnson and Dick Kelley combined for 10 points as West continued on for the easy win.

Ted Kelley emerged as game-high scorer with 15 points for West Parish, and he also did another fine job off both backboards with 14 rebounds.

Chris Doherty lifted his personal 1974-75 seasonal output to 418 points by dropping through 13 more.

Glen Johnson bagged 6 markers, Bob Heidt 5 and five steals, Dick Kelley 4 and solo baskets were registered by Tom Beaumier and Tim Plass.

Beaumier and Plass also helped control the rebounding game for the champs with seven and five caroms respectively. Beaumier, Ted Kelley, Doherty and Heidt all handed out several pretty assists.

Ted Kelley finished the game a perfect 5-for-5 from the charity stripe, while as a team West connected on 7-of-11 foul shots. The club went 20-for-57 from the floor.

West Parish will be entering the JCC Tournament which opens on Thursday, April 17, and several other non-league games including one with Framingham have been tentatively scheduled over the next two weeks.

West Scoring

(Playoff Final)

	FG-FT-Pts.
Ted Kelley	5-5-15
Chris Doherty	6-1-13
Glen Johnson	3-0-6
Bob Heidt	2-1-5
Dick Kelley	2-0-4
Tom Beaumier	1-0-2
Tim Plass	1-0-2
Totals	20-7-47

Scoring by quarters

West Parish	7-15-13-12-47
St. Anne's	2-4-2-4-12

Pee Wee A's Impressive

The Andover Pee Wee A hockey team displaying an extremely sound defense swept through their last five games undefeated to run their season record to 20-11-6. Andover beat a stubborn Lowell team 3-1, Steve Doherty, Dave Nardone and Dave Milne accounting for the goals.

Playing next in the new Billerica High School rink Andover edged Billerica 3-2. Aggressive forechecking and clutch goaltending by Don Bliss and Dave Cullinan proved to be the deciding factor making several spectacular saves.

At Merrimack College, Andover beat Reading 5-1. High scoring center Dave Nardone led the attack with his fourth hat trick of the season, along with Nardone's fine performance and the solid defense of Jim Higgins, Joe Benson, Wayne Merola and Steve Doherty. They were virtually unpenetrated.

In their last outing, in Danvers, the contest was a repeat performance of the Reading game only this time the second leading scorer Dave Morton had the hat trick.

This season to date has been one of the most successful ever for the Pee Wee A team. The single most decisive factor in the team's success has been the tremendous team spirit, couple this with the unselfish attitudes of the seventeen players on the squad and you come up with a winning club. The emphasis and dedication was on hard work. No coach could ask for more than what Dave Milne, John Taylor, Bruce Belbin and Mike Ganem gave this season. Their solid two way performances cannot be overlooked in helping goalers Cullinan and Bliss to a very impressive 2.35 goals against average.

Pacing a team record of 137 goals for, were Dave Nardone and Dave Morton with 30 and 25 goals respectively. The coach feels that the team's strongest point was the strong defense led by the team's most improved player Joe Benson. Jim Higgins, Captain Steve Doherty and Wayne Merola consistently showed an ability to control a game both offensively and defensively. Providing additional scoring punches were Ken Southworth, Joe Cahill, Billy Eaton. Fine penalty killing was exhibited by Chris Doherty and heavy checking by Bob Jowett. This year's head coach was Peter Grogan and the assistant coach was Fred Devereaux.

On Dean's List

Bradford Gross, son of Mr. and Mrs. Isadore Gross of 89 Wildwood Road, Andover, has been named to the Dean's list for the spring semester at Franklin Pierce College, Rindge, N.H., according to an announcement made by Dr. John L. Maes, dean of academic affairs.

To be placed on the Dean's list for any term, a student must have taken a minimum of four courses, have no F's and have a term quality point average of 3.00 or better.

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BOB KRAMER (right) takes healthy cut at the ball readying for Andover Babe Ruth team tryouts. Catcher is Gary Needham.

Babe Ruth Tryouts At Playstead

The Andover Babe Ruth baseball team will hold tryouts for its 1975 squad this Saturday and Sunday afternoons, April 19 and 20, at the large Playstead Field behind East Junior High.

Both sessions will begin at 1 p.m. and run until approximately 3:30 o'clock.

The Saturday workout will be for 13-year-old candidates only, while the Sunday session will be for 14 and 15-year-olds.

A third tryout may be necessary, and if so it will be held at a time and day to be designated later.

The team is open to all boys between the ages of 13 and 15, who will not reach their 16th birthday prior to August 1, 1975.

Babe Ruth tryouts will not conflict in any way with Senior League tryouts to be held the week of April 26.

The local team operates under the principal that all positions are open prior to tryouts, and members from last year's squad must "make the team" again this year.

Andover is a member of the eight-team Greater Lawrence Babe Ruth League, which plays a 21-game regular season schedule with a mid-season break for competition in the International All-Star Tournament. There are also post-season playoffs for the first four teams.

Andover finished the regular season in second place last year, one game behind champion Methuen. The locals were 15-6-1 in league play and 19-8-1 overall. Andover has failed to make the playoffs only once in the last 22 seasons.

Plans are in the works for possible team trips to both Montreal and Cooperstown, N.Y. this summer.

Basketball Tourney Winners

The first Annual Andover-North Andover YMCA Boys' Basketball Tournaments were conducted at the new YMCA gym and were open to any boys' teams comprised entirely of residents of the two towns. YMCA Physical Director Walter J. Kimball, Sr. was tournament director.

The Andover Independents won the Pee Wee Division for boys 12 years and under. The Independents defeated St. Michael's in the finals 26-19 after a very closely played game. St. Michael's had held a 15-14 lead at half-time. Todd Zimmerman was high scorer for the Independents with 8 points. Award winners included: Ira Gold, Bob Meier, Mike Muldoon, Todd Zimmerman, Eric Teichert, Dave Gusmini, Brian Kozcera, Chris Witt and Coach Charles Conlon.

In the Junior Division for boys 14 years and under the West Parish team edged the Celtics 56-54. Another close game found the Celtics leading at half-time by a score of 29-22 but West Parish outscored the opponents 34-25 in the second-half, to win by a two point margin. Joe Terrion scored 18 points for West Parish and Dave Farrell of the Celtics was high for both teams with 26. West Parish players included: Mike Hart, Joe Terrion, Chris Elliott, Jim Wetterberg, Dave Hill, Jim Arnold, Tom Curtin, Bill Hall, Mike Donahue, Peter Newton, Jeff Rosen and Coach Frank Monette.

Softball

The Andover Men's Softball League will hold a meeting on Tuesday, April 22 at the West Elementary School in the Faculty Room at 7:30 p.m. All team managers or team representatives are invited to attend.

Aids In Harvard Victory

Senior Bob Leahey pulled the number seven oar for the Harvard varsity lightweight crew as the Crimson demolished Columbia in their season debut on April 12. Harvard, the preseason's number one-ranked collegiate squad, crossed the finish line on the 2000 meter Charles River course four lengths ahead of the Lions.

Leahey, a graduate of Phillips Andover Academy, helped stroke Harvard to a 6:12.0 finish while Columbia managed a 6:33.5 mark.

The son of Garret Leahey of 146 Argilla Road, Leahey is concentrating in English at Harvard.

In The Swim

As part of the Recreation / Community Schools Department "Spring Happening" vacation program swimming will be offered to Andover residents free of charge on two different occassions. The pool at the Lawrence Regional Vocational Technical High School on Thursday, April 24 from 7:30-9:30 p.m. Lifeguards will be on duty

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By Carrie Smo

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Intermediates Are Presented Awards

The West Parish intermediate basketball team staged its annual Father-Son game, and passed out a number of trophies to top players recently at the West Junior High.

The West 'A' intermediate team won the Andover Church League championship with a 17-0 record. The West quintet also went 17-0 in the Lawrence J.C.C. Biddy BAsketball League, winning both the regular - season and playoff titles.

In addition, West secured the Hampstead, N.H. Invitational Tournament crown, and this week opened play in the Lawrence J.C.C. Tournament.

The trophy winners were as follows:

Most Valuable Player - 'A' team: Steve Doherty.

Most Valuable Player - 'B' team': Tim Plass.

Rookie-of-the-Year - Bob Meier.

Most Improved Player - Jim Kimball.

Most Valuable Player J.C.C. - Chris Doherty and Ted Kelley co-winners.

Sportsmanship Award - Alex deConstant.

Scoring champion - Chris Doherty (141 points in Church League and 418 overall).

Also receiving plaques as close runners-up in the balloting for Rookie honors were Scott Nolin and Jeff Saulnier.

Father-Son Game

The Father-Son clash saw the Meiers defeat the Newtons, 70-61.

The victors had five players in double figures. Ted Kelley led the attack with 16 points, while Bob Meier and Steve Doherty stuffed 14 apiece. Rick Harrison netted 12 and Dick Kelley flipped in 10.

Rounding out the effort with solo buckets were Jim Kimball and Tom Meier. Other standouts for the victors included Hugh Meier, Paul Newton and Danny Kimball.

Chris Doherty emerged as game-high scorer, pouring through 30 points for the Newtons.

Peter Newton was also in twin digits with 12 points, while Mark deConstant notched 6, Scott Nolin 5, Mike McDonald 4, Alex deConstant 2 and late-arriving Tim Plass banked in 2 points.

Wayne Newton and Mark Newton were tops off the boards and defensively.

The top two West Parish intermediate teams have compiled an overall 48-3 record entering the JCC tourney, while all West clubs are 54-14.

Awards Presented At Banquet

By Carrie Smotrich

The Andover Buddy Werner League finished out its 1974-1975 season with a banquet at Valle's Steak House. This year's banquet was a tribute to the team's victory in the Eastern Massachusetts Championship as well as its contribution to Massachusetts' victory in the ESA sponsored championship at Pat's Peak.

After a year's absence the Eastern Mass trophy which Andover shares with Bradford was on display at the banquet. Also, the Bob Thomson trophy, awarded to the championship Massachusetts team, was on display.

The highlight of the evening was the award of the Scott Young trophy to Rick Heislein for his sportsmanship and overall contribution to the team. This year, for the first time, achievement awards were awarded to those racers who were diligent in attending practice as well as showed progress in their racing ability during the year.

The achievement awards were presented by Coach Ted Sutton to the following racers: JoAnn Dunn, Marilyn Ingram, Jana Caldwell, Brian Cronin, Scott Heseltine, Robert Teichert, Teddy Teichert, Sally White, Elizabeth Gardner, Tracey Thomson, Sarah Simpson and Laura Barrett.

Door prizes were contributed by Dana's Sport Shop of Andover and the Alpine Ski Shop of Haverhill.

The banquet was capped off by the showing of movies of the last two Waltham Eastern Mass Championships by Ed Hostetter. The arrangements for the banquet were handled by Mr. and Mrs. David Roberts.

Billiards Tourney

The Recreation / Community Schools Department has rented the Billiards Parlor at the Lawrence Recreation Center on Hampshire Street to sponsor a combination Pocket Billiards / 8-Ball Tourney. The tourney is open to all interested Andover residents between 12 - 18 years of age. The tourney is part of the Recreation / Community Schools Department Spring Happening vacation program and will be held on Thursday, April 24, from 9:30-11:30 a.m. Interested persons may register at the Recreation / Community Schools Department office before 4:30 p.m. Monday, April 21.

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Business District Survey A Part Of Census

1. Should Andover's stores, offices and municipal buildings stay primarily in one town center? (1)

Yes 1 ☐
No 2 ☐
No Opinion 3 ☐

2. How often do you use these downtown Andover facilities? (2-8)

	Once A Week or More 1	About Once A Month 2	More Rarely 3
Supermarkets	☐	☐	☐
Retail Stores	☐	☐	☐
Library	☐	☐	☐
Town Hall	☐	☐	☐
Banks	☐	☐	☐
Post Office	☐	☐	☐
Offices	☐	☐	☐

3. Do you think downtown Andover needs any or all of these? (9-16)

	Yes 1	No 2	No Opinion 3
More Parking Space	☐	☐	☐
Downtown Pedestrian Shopping Mall	☐	☐	☐
Diversion of Through Traffic From Downtown Andover	☐	☐	☐
Public Transportation	☐	☐	☐
A Larger Central Business District	☐	☐	☐
High Rise (Above 4 or 5 story) Buildings	☐	☐	☐
More Apartment Buildings	☐	☐	☐
One Way Streets for Traffic Flow	☐	☐	☐

4. Would you be in favor of Town financed or subsidized (17-19)

	Yes 1	No 2	No Opinion 3
Parking Lots	☐	☐	☐
Parking Garages	☐	☐	☐
Within Town Public Transportation	☐	☐	☐

5. If scattered shopping areas were to be built around Town, should they be (20-21)

	Yes 1	No 2	No Opinion 3
Large Shopping Malls	☐	☐	☐
Small areas of stores and offices near residential neighborhoods	☐	☐	☐

6. Should Andover's zoning be changed to allow (22-23)

	Yes 1	No 2	No Opinion 3
Large outlying shopping centers	☐	☐	☐
Small neighborhood shopping areas	☐	☐	☐

Finally, we would like to know just a little about you so we can see how different types of people feel about the issues we have been examining.

7. How long have you lived in Andover? (24)

Less Than 2 Years 1	2 - 5 Years 2	5 - 10 Years 3	10 - 20 Years 4	More Than 20 Years 5
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8. In what precinct do you live? (25)

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9. What is the age of the head of your household? (26)

Under 20 1	20-30 2	31-40 3	41-50 4	51-60 5	Over 60 6
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10. Where does the head of your household work? (27-30)

Andover ☐ 1
Greater Lowell-Lawrence-Haverhill Area (Excluding Andover) ☐ 2
Neither of these Areas ☐ 3
Retired, Not presently employed, etc ☐ 4

By the fourth week in April, every Andover household should have received a state census form. "But that's not the end of it," says Assistant Town Manager Sheldon Cohen.

"Along with the census form, we've included a questionnaire that should give everyone in Andover a chance to determine the kind of place in which he or she is going to live." The questionnaire is actually an opinion survey, developed by William Bingham of Merrimack College, asking Andoverites how they feel the town should plan its commercial development and zoning.

"It's strictly an exercise in democracy," continues Cohen. "The town officials want the broadest possible input from the townspeople before they begin planning or making proposals."

Andover's Town Clerk, Elden Salter, explains why the survey is included with the census. "Since the law requires that the state census must be circulated, it afforded the best possible vehicle to reach every household." The census card (see copy) should be filled out according to directions. This helps make certain that each person in the Commonwealth is fairly represented in the state legislative, and that Andover receives its fair share of financial aid from the State. The census card and the questionnaire should then both be returned together in the postage-paid, pre-addressed envelope. Any Andover householder who has not received the census card and questionnaire by April 28 should contact the Town Clerk's office.

The Board of Selectmen and Planning Board want to know if the townspeople wish to have a single downtown business district or if expansion of commercial enterprise in other areas of Town should be encouraged. Further, even if the goal is to keep the single central business district the way it is, population growth in the next 10 to 15 years will necessitate some change. What should its nature be?

This questionnaire will provide information so that planning for the future can more precisely take into account the needs and desires of Andover's citizens.

Please put an X in the appropriate box (and ignore the numbers in parentheses and beside answer categories; they are included only to assist the processing of your answers).

Roller Skating

The Recreation / Community Schools Department will offer Roller Skating on Thursday, April 24 at the Hi-Hat Roll-a-way in Lowell as part of the Spring Happening vacation program. Andover residents may skate from 2 - 4 p.m. for only 75¢ just for mentioning the Recreation / Community Schools Department.

Residents young and old are invited to take advantage of the low price and the chance to do something different during vacation. For further information contact the Recreation / Community Schools Department.

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They've Got Questions

Andover's Assistant Town Manager Sheldon Cohen (seated) and Town Clerk Elden Salter each have something for Andover families; a survey of public opinion on how to manage commercial development within the town and the state census forms. Both forms should be filled out immediately and returned to the town clerk's office in the included postage paid envelope.

Tickets Available For 'Heidi'

Tickets are still available for the bus to Boston and performance of "Heidi" by the Boston Children's Theatre. The trip is scheduled for Thursday, April 24, and sponsored by the Andover ABC Special Events Committee.

The Children's Theatre performs a number of plays throughout the year, using a cast of children to act out familiar tales and stories. "Heidi" is the spring vacation production and sure to delight the audience.

The bus will leave from East Junior High School parking lot at 12:45 p.m. and return there at approximately 4:30 p.m. Children should bring a snack if desired.

For reservations and information please call Mrs. John Logan, 25 Marilyn Road or Mrs. Glenn Cunningham, 24 Wolcott Ave. as soon as possible.

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Trek For Easter Seals On Holiday

Over 1,000 people are expected to "walk or wheel for Easter Seals" on Patriot's Day, Monday, April 21. This third annual WheelChairAthon, sponsored by the Youth for Easter Seal Committee, is a statewide event which will be conducted in 15 locations throughout the Commonwealth. Non-handicapped individuals, as well as those who are wheelchair - bound will participate in the program.

Raising funds is only one goal of the WheelChairAthon. According to Mark Walker, a disabled member of the Planning Committee, "Building greater public awareness of the architectural barriers to the handicapped is vital. We hope this program will demonstrate that the elimination of such barriers is fundamental in helping to make the handicapped independent and thus give them greater opportunity to contribute to the community."

The local Wheel-Chair-Athon an 8 mile trek, will start at 10 a.m. at the Andover Playstead on Chestnut street and follow Main street (Rt. 28) to the Atlantic Plaza in North Reading. It will then follow the same route back to the park, where refreshments will be served.

Sponsor sheets are available at the Easter Seal office in Andover or from any member of the committee which includes: Mark Walker, Jeannie Green, Diane Wright of Andover, Bob Duquette of Lawrence, and Sandy Smith, Marianne Smith and Steve Parks of North Reading. "We encourage people of all ages to take part," states Steve Parks, Publicity Chairman. "Join us and be a big wheel!"

Sailing Program

There are still openings in the Recreation/Community Schools elementary Sailing program. This program geared for four-six grade students will be held on Fridays beginning April 18 and will run for 10 weeks. It will combine land instruction and sailing. The class time will be 5:30 - 8:30 p.m. Register at the Recreation/Community Schools office, 36 Bartlet Street.

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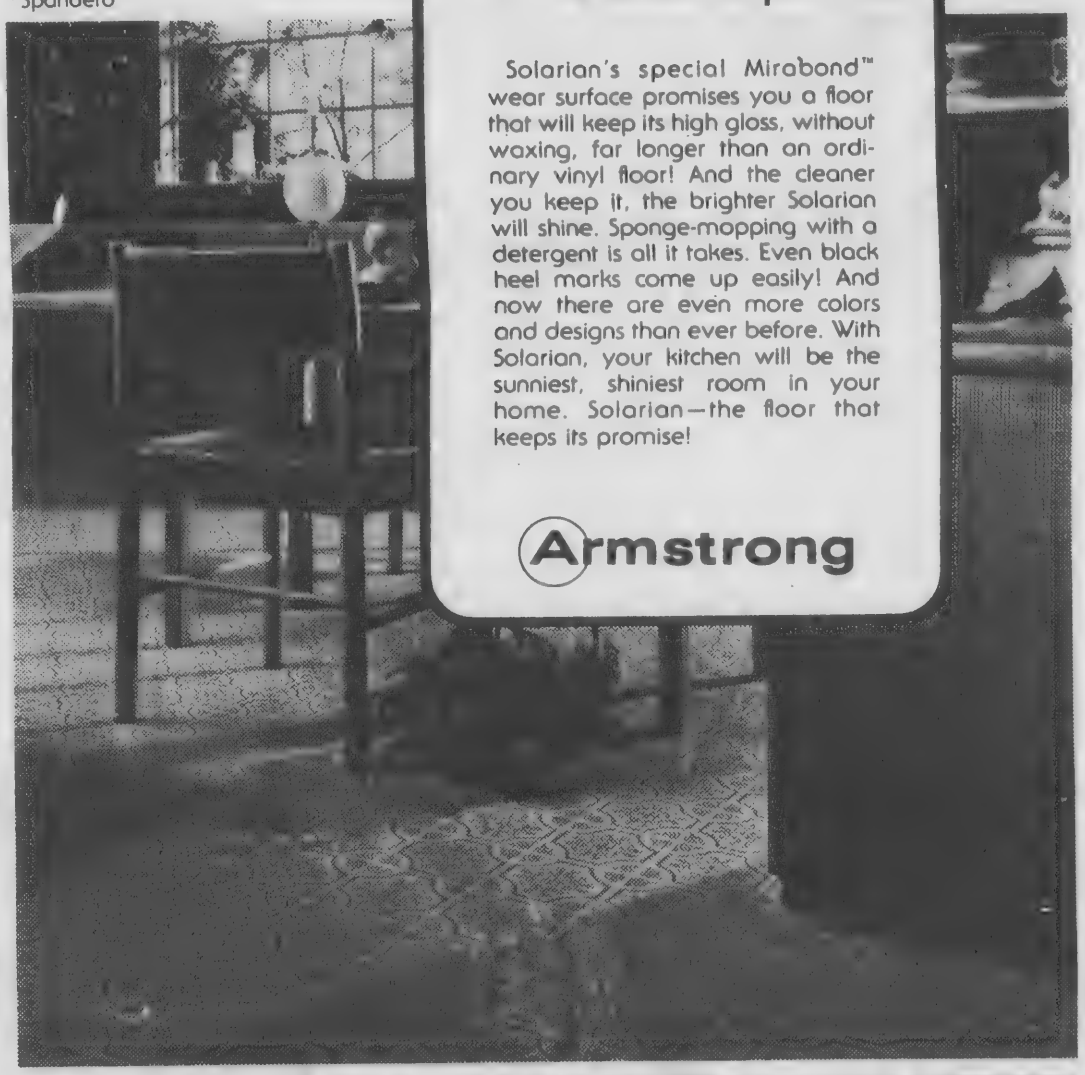

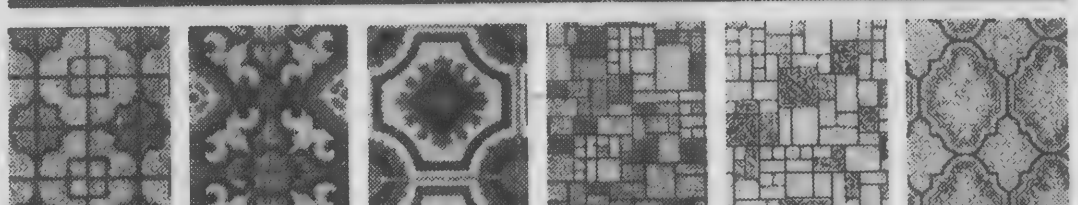

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Editorial Comment

Some Thoughts

At the risk of belaboring the point about the effectiveness of town meeting, it must be pointed out that events of the past two weeks rather significantly point up the contention that the sessions seem to serve only particular interests.

This week the town struggled to complete the business of the annual session. Monday night, after waiting over one-half hour beyond the starting time of 7:30, it was decided to adjourn until Tuesday night.

At the point of adjournment slightly under 300 voters had registered and it was obvious from the slim flow of additional registrants that a quorum would not be reached until considerably later in the evening, if at all.

A week previous there was little doubt about a quorum. The issue of train service was the main topic on the agenda that evening and interest was high.

At the peak of that session, there were 790 voters on hand.

Had their interest remained as heightened for other issues of equal importance as far as municipal government is concerned, they would have been back this week to complete the business session.

As matters stood, after Monday night's adjournment, and with the warrant still awaiting completion, the voters who concerned themselves with the train service, threatened to lose the commuter special through their absence.

Failure to complete action on the entire warrant would result in the town not having the funds to pay for the train beginning in July. In addition the budget appropriated for the next fiscal year could not become valid.

The audience of a week ago was there, quite obviously, for a single purpose, to produce train service for Andover, which may be valid in itself.

Hardly a ripple of discussion accompanied other issues during the evening.

We anticipate that there will be questions about the election next March, when voters wonder why they are not going to the polls on the first Monday. All that was changed without question last week.

Approved was the annual election being held on the fourth Monday in March and the business session opening on the fourth Monday in April.

Such was the tenor of the meeting on April 7.

From that point on it has become a struggle to transact Andover's business through the medium of the staunch, staid old New England town meeting.

Thus the question, does the open town meeting truly represent effective municipal operation?

The Space Age And Town Meeting

Time was when a town meeting quorum could be obtained by sounding the fire horn.

That was before the space age and modern communications methods.

A few blasts of the fire horn would arouse the public to chase the fire trucks. Finding there was no fire, but that a quorum was needed, the voters would then go to town meeting.

But, Andover no longer sounds the fire horn. Matter of fact, it no longer sounds at 8 a.m. and 6 p.m. which for years was the best method for setting clocks. In even further bygone days the fire horn sounded curfew for the town's youth, which, if carried out today would probably result in a traffic jam.

Monday night, someone suggested the fire horn routine, only to realize it was no longer a possibility.

And, the world situation being what it is, no one would dare think of the only other warning device - - air raid sirens.

Local Man's Journal Of The Revolution

An Andover man, who responded on that fateful day 200 years ago April 19, 1775, kept a daily journal of the activities of his company during the Revolutionary war.

Beginning today, The TOWNSMAN, will print the activities week by week of Pvt. James Stevens, giving a local touch to some of Andover's participation in the Revolution, as a Bicentennial feature. The copy of the journal was supplied the TOWNSMAN by the North Andover Historical Society.

To retain the authenticity of the record, we have refrained from correcting misspellings and various references to communities which the armies pass through.

It also should be pointed out that one must consider the times in which the journal was kept. For instance when Stevens refers to "went home and got our super" we presume it means back to quarters or camp as known militarily today. As will be seen in later journal entries, the trip from Boston or Cambridge to Andover in Revolutionary times was an eight hour trip.

James Stevens was born in Andover, July 14, 1749, the son of James and Sarah (Peabody) Stevens. He was a carpenter by trade.

His uncle, John Peabody, was at Louisburg, at Ticonderoga, and was captain of a company that marched from Andover to Bunker Hill.

James Stevens was a private in Capt. Thomas Poor's company of minutemen that went to Lexington on the 19th of April, 1775. He was also enrolled in Capt. Benjamin Farnum's company and on Oct. 7, 1775 enlisted in Capt. Pollard's company.

He removed to Jaffrey, N.H., about 1778, where he settled.

He married Elizabeth Lacey of Andover, Oct. 6, 1778 and had seven children. She died Jan. 25, 1798, and he married a second time, Betsy Litch of Lunenburg. She died Jan. 12, 1858. He died on March 31, 1834.

Stevens was captain of the Jaffrey military company in 1793 and served the town as selectman and in other public offices.

April ye 19 1775: This morning a bout seven aclok we has alarum that the Reegerlers was gon to Conkord. We gathered to the meting hous & then started for Concord. We went throu Tukesbary & into Bilrica. We stopt to Polords & eat some biskit and Ches on the comon. We started and wen into Bedford & we herd that the regerlers was gon back to Boston. We went through Bedford. We went into Lecentown (Lexington). We went to the metinghous & there we come to the distruction of the Reegerlers they cild eight of our men & shot a canon ball through the metin house. We went a long throu Lecintown & we saw several regerlers ded on the rod & som of our men & three or fore housen was burnt & som hoses and hogs was cild. They plandered in every hous thay could git in to thay stove in windows and broke in tops of desks. We met the men a coming back very fast. We went through Notenemy (Ed. Note - Menotomy, now Arlington) & got into Cambridge. We stopt about 8 acloke for they say that the regerlers was got to Charlestown on to Bunkers hill & intrenstion. We stopt about two miles back from the college.

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Friday ye 21: We praded. Men come in very fast. The gard took won or two tories.

Saturday ye 22: It was loury weather. I went down to the neck towards Charlestown. We prated about an hour about sun hy.

Sunday ye 23: It was cloudy. I staid at hom in the fore nune. In the afternune I went to meeting & herd a sermen from Matthews C5V7.

Monday ye 24: This morning went on to preade very early & preaded al day. At night I was cald on the pikit gard. We was sot on the gard & we went home and gut super & then went on the gard and staid all night.

Advocate Of Change Seems Pleased

While the subject may not have been about quorums at the moment, Chairman Milton Greenberg of the selectmen facing camera listening to Town Counsel Alfred Daniels, appears somewhat soothed by the slim turnout of voters at the Monday session of town meeting which forced adjournment to Tuesday night, for lack of a quorum. Greenberg has been an advocate of increasing the size of the quorum to a percentage of the registered voters, rather than the present 350. He has often been critical during his terms on the board of the number of residents who are actually involved in the operation of the town's business through the open town meeting method.

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What Our Readers Say-

To the Editor of the TOWNSMAN:

On behalf of the Andover Recycling Committee and the League of Women Voters Recycling Committee I want to point out some things about the Andover Recycling Program, which was discussed and again approved at Town Meeting. It is good for the public to examine the program periodically to provide necessary feedback to program coordinators and town officials as long, of course, as they continue to vote for the program.

The three objectives of the committee are to improve the collection system, increase revenues and encourage greater participation by the townspeople.

One should not be overly - disconsolate at the current low price of used paper, a price which merely reflects the present low demand for corrugated boxes and building materials because of the world-wide economic situation. However, both glass and cans are worth considerably more now than when we began recycling in 1973 - and even paper is worth slightly more. Paper prices began to climb in March, 1975, and should continue to strengthen as the economy improves. Other factors could also improve paper prices. For example, if the electric power companies could be encouraged to convert some boilers to burn dry fuel, now being produced by recycling plants, the price of paper would climb and electric power would be produced from good, clean, abundant domestic fuel.

According to a proposal now before the town, if participation were increased only 17 per cent, it would be possible to pick up all recyclables at each collection and to mix glass with cans, unflattened and with the paper labels left on and to show a modest profit on the whole program.

Energy savings also make recycling attractive. Energy and water savings for recycled steel (cans) are on the order of 74 per cent. Energy savings for recycled aluminum are 95 per cent. Energy savings for glass and paper are also considerable.

Some benefits of the program do not show up on our account books. At times business' trash problems have been turned into town revenue by recycling. In another area, there is now an appliance repair class at Andover High School, where students can learn valuable skills working on discarded appliances. Those appliances which can be put back in good working order will be sold at the Recycling Auction on May 3, providing more years of service at low cost.

Our committees are encouraged by the overwhelming vote in support of the program and wish to thank Town Meeting for realizing that it should not kill the "ugly duckling" when it might well be on the verge of becoming a swan.

Elaine Katz
Andover Recycling Committee
Phillips St.
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Friday, April 18
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Vale Youth Groups Plan For Busy Week

Recreation, exchange visits by out of town youth groups, membership class, community events, and a walk for hunger are among the activities of the Junior High and Senior High Youth Fellowship groups at the Ballard Vale United Church on Clark Road in Andover.

The action will begin on Saturday, April 19 with the arrival of 30 Senior High youths and adults from the United Methodist Church in Bath, New York. This group is spending four days in Greater Boston and will be cooking their meals and sleeping in the church. On Sunday evening, April 20, the Ballard Vale Senior Highs will cook a spaghetti supper and provide an evening of recreation at the church. All ninth graders in the church are invited to attend this function. The Bath youths will attend church in the morning and supper in the evening.

On Thursday, April 24, the Senior High group is sponsoring a Neighborhood Carnival. It will be held in the church parking lot from 11 a.m. until 3 p.m. and will feature games for children of all ages and lots of good food from the refreshment tables. Ann Roy, Madelyn Hesketh, and Susan Pratt are chairing committees for the event. Other youth members working on publicity, booths, and planning include Peter Hesketh, Laurie Palmquist, Brenda Nason, Lureen Livingston, Brian Hollenbeck, Julie Lucey, Alice and Evelyn Itz, Tommy Marble, Dorothy Fuchs, Pamela Fisk, Steve Mitton, Kathy Robinson and Cheryl McNamara. Adult coordinators with this group are Mrs. Peggy McLeod and Rev. David Hollenbeck. In case of rain this carnival will be held on Saturday, April 26.

The Junior High youth will begin their vacation week activities on Wednesday, April 23. They will meet at the church at 4:15 and travel to Bruin Hill Farm in North Andover for a Hayride. All sixth graders are invited to come to this event and to become a regular Junior High participant.

On Friday, April 25, the ecumenical Junior High youth group from Littleton, N.H. will arrive in Ballardvale for a three day visit. They are returning an earlier visit to Littleton by the Ballard Vale Junior High youth. The two groups will renew their acquaintance by having two special events that first night. A picnic supper at the Rolling Ridge Conference in North Andover will be followed by a splash party at the new Andover / North Andover YMCA.

Some of the youth from the Ballard Vale Church will participate in a Walk of Hunger on Saturday, April 26. It is sponsored by the United Methodist youth from the Greater Boston Area. Over 1000 youth will participate in the 26 mile walk to raise money for hungry nations.

All youth in the church are reminded of the Church Membership classes being held each Monday evening in April. On April 21 the theme is, "The Church at Work in the Community at Large."

On Tuesday, April 22, the Youth Task Force will meet at 7:30 in the church. This task force coordinates the Youth Ministries at the BAllard Vale Church. Members include Peggy McLeod, chairperson; Elaine Peterson; Susan Hall; Audrey Nason; Robert Fisk; Brian Hollenbeck; Karen Robinson; Betty Darling; Cheryl McNamara; and Rev. David Hollenbeck.

Enjoying A Treat

Members of Andover's senior citizens groups were entertained Monday night by the Women's Evening Circle of the Andover Baptist church. From left, Irene Forster, Florence Dennison and Gladys Lowe.

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Holy Day Masses: 7, 8, 10:30 a.m., 5:30 and 7 p.m. Evening before - 4 and 5:30 p.m.

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Pastor

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SUNDAY: Masses at 7, 9 and 11:30 a.m.

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SUNDAY: 9:30 a.m. Sunday

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How practical is the "Golden Rule" in everyday experience?

William Henry Alton, C.S.B., will discuss this question in Andover, Saturday, April 19.

A Christian Science lecturer and teacher from New York City, he will speak at the invitation of First Church of Christ, Scientist, Andover, in the church ediface, 278 No. Main St. at 3 p.m.

"Without brotherly love conflict at every level is inevitable," Mr. Alton will state. "The world is shrinking so fast that we're finding everyone's interests are inseparable from everyone else's. So there's a new urgency to solving problems, problems which come from our responding to what we believe our neighbor to be."

Mrs. Germaine Kundratis, Second Reader will introduce Mr. Alton. The lecture is open to the public without charge. Local arrangements for the event are being coordinated by Mr. Duane Prue, chairman of the Lecture Committee.

In his lecture, Mr. Alton will tell how marital difficulties, illnesses, job difficulties, and labor relations problems have been healed through understanding the "divine law underlying the Golden Rule."

After graduating from Dartmouth College, Mr. Alton went into the oil business. He was Assistant to the Vice President of World Operations and Assistant Manager of Production for the Mobile Oil Company. In 1940 he joined Rockefeller Center, Inc., and in 1947 became Director of Administration of the International Basic Economy Corporation. Later he was an assistant to Nelson A. Rockefeller.

Mr. Alton withdrew from business in 1957 to enter the public practice of Christian Science. Four years later, he became a teacher of Christian Science and in 1963 was appointed to the Christian Science Board of Lectureship. In 1969 he was made Executor Administrator of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, and reappointed as a lecturer in 1973 in which capacity he has traveled widely.

"How to Love and Be Loved" is the title of the lecture.

Special Service At Chapel

On Sunday, April 20, at 11 a.m. there will be a service of Morning Prayer and Special Music at Cochran Chapel, Phillips Academy. The music will be presented by Tong Soo Chung, a 1973 graduate of Phillips Academy. He will be assisted by the Phillips Academy Chamber Orchestra, under the direction of William Schneider, and Carolyn Skelton, the school organist. The music will include selections from **The Messiah** by G.F. Handel and a solo cantata by Dietrich Buxtehude.

As a senior at the Academy, Tong Chung was granted the opportunity to present a solo recital - a privilege awarded only the finest musicians in the school. He is now at Harvard where he is a member of the prestigious Harvard - Radcliffe Choir. In addition, he has presented recitals at the college.

Pop Concert At 'Vale Church Set

Friday evening, April 25 at 8 p.m., the Women's Guild of the Ballard Vale United Church will sponsor a Pop Concert. A varied musical program will be offered.

The main feature of the evening will be "The Critic's Choice" an entertainment male trio singing and playing "Popular," "Comedy," "Ethnic" and "Sing Along." This group has appeared at Lake Placid, N.Y., and many other places.

Admission by reservation only. Please call Mrs. Alfred Webb or Mrs. Doris Smith, evenings.

CHURCHES

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School from age 2 through adults. 10:45 a.m. Morning worship with Mr. Terry Wright, senior at Gordon-Conwell Theological Seminary as guest preacher. Nursery and Junior Church will be provided for infants through age 10.

Free Christian Church
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SUNDAY: 10:30 a.m. Worship Service - Sermon "The Kingdom, the Power and the Glory - Thine!" by Rev. Richard B. Balmforth. Nursery care provided. Family Sunday - no Church School. 2:30 p.m. Pilgrim Fellowship. 4:45 p.m. Pastors Class.

South Church
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SUNDAY: 10:30 a.m. Crib Room through Grade 6; 10:30 a.m. Worship Service: Guest Preacher, Rev. Walter V. Eversley; 11:30 a.m. Coffee Hour; 5:30 p.m. Confirmation Class; 7 p.m. Senior Pilgrim Fellowship.

Unitarian-Universalist Church
244 Lowell Street, Andover
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SUNDAY: 10:30 a.m. Service, "In Search of Freedom - Is The American Revolution Still Alive?"

Wednesday, 5:30 p.m., Potluck dinner for families and singles: open to anyone, just bring something to eat.

First Church of Christ Scientist
278 North Main Street

SUNDAY: 10:30 a.m. Sunday School; Nursery available; Church Service. Subject of lesson sermon: "Doctrine of Atonement." Evening services every first and third Sunday at 7 p.m.

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Faith Lutheran Church
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OBITUARIES

JOHN J. GAUDET

John F. Gaudet, 48, 41 Farrwood Drive, Bradford, an engineer at Raytheon Company in West Andover, died Sunday at Lawrence General Hospital after a short illness.

Born in Lawrence, June 11, 1926, he was a graduate of North Andover Grammar and High Schools and Lowell Technological Institute. Mr. Gaudet was a veteran of World War II, having served overseas in the U. S. Marine Corps. He was a member of the Management Club of Raytheon Company. He attended St. Michael's Church in North Andover.

Survivors include his wife, the former Marie B. Torpey; his father, Joseph Gaudet of North Andover; two step-sons, David and Michael Middleton of Bradford; a daughter, Mrs. Leslie Philbin of North Andover; two sisters, Mrs. Eleanor Connolly of North Andover and Miss Virginia Gaudet of Florida; a brother, Joseph of North Andover, two grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

A funeral Mass was offered Wednesday at 9 a.m. in St. Michael's Church. Burial was in Ridgewood Cemetery, North Andover.

WILLIAM HOGAN

William Hogan, 83, formerly of 110 Waverly Road, North Andover, a longtime resident of the town, died Sunday at Bessie M. Burke Memorial Hospital in Lawrence after a long illness.

He was born in Bradford, England, Jan. 18, 1892, and had lived in the United States for over 50 years. Prior to his retirement, Mr. Hogan had been employed as a clerk in the Wood Mill in Lawrence. He attended St. Michael's Church, and was a former member of the Lawrence British Club.

The widower of the former Doris M. Shaw, he is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Annie LeClair and Miss Helena Hogan, both of North Andover and several nieces and nephews.

A funeral Mass was offered Tuesday at 9 a.m. in St. Michael's Church. Burial will be in Holy Sepulchre Cemetery.

ROBERT C. GRAY, SR.

Robert C. Gray Sr., 87, 108 High St., North Andover, a retired professor of design at Lowell Technological Institute, died Saturday at Stevens Hall Convalescent Home after a short illness.

Born in Kennebunk, Maine, Nov. 11, 1887, he had lived in North Andover for over 50 years. Prof. Gray was a graduate of Lawrence High School and the Lowell Textile School in 1911. He attended St. Paul's Episcopal Church, and was a former treasurer and vestryman of that parish and a 50-year member of Cochichewick Lodge A.F. & A.M.

Survivors include his wife, the former Sarah E. Wrigley; a daughter, Mary A., wife of Leonard Windle of North Andover; a son, Robert C., Jr. of Keene, N. H.; a brother, Fred of Auburn, Maine, four grandchildren and a great-grandchild.

Funeral services were Tuesday at 11 a.m. in St. Paul's Episcopal Church. Cremation followed in Linwood Crematorium in Haverhill.

Memorial contributions may be made to St. Paul's Episcopal Church or the Bon Secours-Lawrence General Hospital Joint Building Fund.

Freedom Train In Area Next Week

The American Freedom Train, the historic twenty-five car train, powered be a giant steam locomotive, will be making stops in Massachusetts as it begins its epic 21-month, 17,000 mile tour of the 48 contiguous states.

The Freedom Train will visit Boston for seven days, April 20 - April 27 and then will stop in Lowell, April 29 - May 1, making a final stop in Worcester, May 3 - May 5, before continuing its journey West.

An estimated 60,000 people attended the national dedication of the American Freedom Train's tour in Delaware on April 1, marking the beginning of the first national bicentennial project. During the next 21 months, over 10 million people throughout the nation are expected to board the train to see the multi-media presentation of 200 years of American heritage: art, architecture, entertainment, literature, exploration, government, inventions, science, sports and transportation.

A moving walk-way will take visitors through the 10 exhibit cars, displaying more than 500 original documents, artifacts, films, models, replicas and memorabilia. Individual "sound wands" will provide each visitor with a running narrative, including historic voices, music and sounds.

The train will bring the nation's historic treasures, like Ben Franklin's draft of the Articles of Confederation and George Washington's copy of the Constitution, to the hometowns of Americans who would otherwise have to travel to more than 200 museums, libraries, universities and private collections in 36 states and Puerto Rico to see them.

Included in the exhibits will be artifacts from nearly every phase of American life, ranging from Paul Revere's saddle bags to moon rocks and a lunar rover, from Thomas Paine's "Common Sense" to Dr. Martin Luther King's vestment robe and Bible, from President Kennedy's rocking chair and early handwritten draft of his inaugural address to Navajo sand painting, from Henry Aaron's bat that hit the historic 714th homer to Judy Garland's dress from the "Wizard of Oz."

Other artifacts include Emma Lazarus' famous poem that appears on the Statue of Liberty; Lincoln's stovepipe hat; Will Rogers' rope and spurs; paintings and sculpture by Peale, Sully, Homer, Benton, Sloan, Remington and Saint Gaudens; Franklin D. Roosevelt's mother-of-pearl cigar holder; a fingerless baseball glove; and a collection of original U.S. working patent models.

The two glass-enclosed showcase cars display, among others, a 1904 Oldsmobile that won the first transcontinental race and the Freedom Bell, a twice the size model of the Liberty Bell. The giant 7½-foot bell is a gift to the nation on behalf of her children by the American Legion.

President Ford has called the American Freedom Train "a fitting symbol for what the Bicentennial really represents" and has urged the parents and teachers of the nation to take their children to visit it when it stops in their hometowns.

The American Freedom Train will be opened for viewing each day from 8 a.m. to 10 p.m. and will remain open until midnight on Friday and Saturday. Admission is $2 for adults and $1 for youths 18 and under and for senior citizens, 65 and over. Advance tickets may be purchased at Gilchrists for the Boston visit.

The American Freedom Train Foundation is a non-profit, educational, privately sponsored organization.

Wind Sinfonia To Be Presented

The Andover Band and Choral Parents Association in conjunction with the Music Dept., Andover Public Schools is sposoring the University of Lowell, College of Music, Wind Sinfonia in Concert, Thomas G. Elliot, Conductor, on Monday evening April 28, 8 p.m. at West Junior High School Auditorium.

The Wind Sinfonia is devoted to the exploration, study and public performance of the finest literature available for wind instruments. Musical selections range from the classical period to the present, and are chosen for their musical worth and for their appeal to audience and performer alike.

The members of the Wind Sinfonia are music majors in the College of Music, and are selected for this premier performing group through competitive auditions. Many of the performers are planning careers as teachers of music in the public schools and many others are preparing for careers as professional musicians. The Wind Sinfonia is designed to provide each one with a thoroughly professional musical experience and solid musical training, while at the same time bringing high quality wind music to as wide an audience as possible. Through these efforts, the Wind Sinfonia endeavors to serve both music, education and the community with full devotion.

Thomas G. Elliot

Jazz Band At Bradford

A four-piece jazz band from the Boston Symphony Orchestra will give a Sunday-night concert at Bradford College on April 27. The concert, sponsored by the Bradford Alumni Association, will benefit the college's scholarship fund.

Information may be obtained by calling the Bradford Alumni Office.

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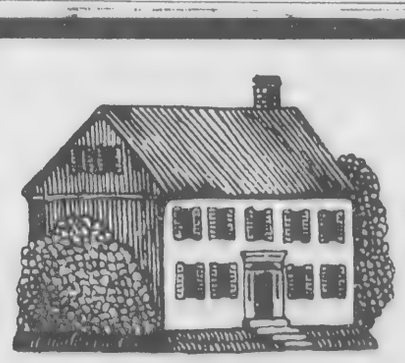

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Andona Completes Screening Program

The Andona Society has completed its tenth annual pre-school vision screening program for the detection of amblyopia and other visual defects in children. Screenings were held at local nursery schools and at two public screening sessions held at Christ Church, Andover.

Mrs. E. Norman Barrett, chairman of the project, with the assistance of Mrs. Ross Coon, Mrs. Robert Eastman and Mrs. Michael Rodden, reported that 228 pre-school children were screened this year.

Andona members who volunteered their time in the vision screening program were: Mrs. Robert Muldoon, Mrs. David Bertetti, Mrs. Robert Ruben, Mrs. John Reddington, Mrs. Francis Hill, Mrs. Carter Tallman, Mrs. Peter Rubenstein, Mrs. William Dalton, Mrs. George Winterson, Jr., Mrs. Saul Goldberg, Mrs. Peter Lewis, Mrs. H. Thomas Dill, Mrs. Gerald Reynolds, Mrs. Anthony Fernandez, Mrs. Francis Witt, Mrs. Vito Caiati, Mrs. Arthur Pierson, Mrs. Richard Reichter, Mrs. Richard Bartle, Mrs. Wilfred Schwarz, Jr., Mrs. Carmine DiAdamo, Mrs. Clinton Seeley, Mrs. Robert Finlayson, Mrs. Joseph Sullivan, Mrs. Lewis Travis, Mrs. John Perlowski, Mrs. David Ehrman, Mrs. P. Fred Gridley, Mrs. Edmund Sullivan, Mrs. John Schwing, Mrs. Michael Fosko, Mrs. Norman Merrill, Mrs. Michael Kinsella, Mrs. Charles Ziegenbein, Mrs. James Kelley, Mrs. John Atchison, Mrs. Donald Gammon, Mrs. Frank Dyer, Mrs. C. Allen Gable, Mrs. John McGarry, Mrs. John Driscoll, Mrs. Paul McVey, Mrs. Peter Price, Mrs. John Appleton, Mrs. Thomas Swift, Mrs. Robert Watkinson, Mrs. Robert Jurgen, Mrs. Dale Lattanzio, Mrs. John Fuchs, Mrs. Thomas Stammers, Mrs. George Harris, Mrs. Richard Desmarais, Mrs. Arthur Muldoon, Mrs. Robert Tassinari, Mrs. John Leahy, Mrs. Leonard Gardner, Mrs. James Flynn, Mrs. W. David Barrett, Mrs. Bruce Taylor and Mrs. Raymond Nash, Jr.

In 1945, Andover had 919 registered Democrats and 2,767 registered Republicans, out of a total of 6,568 voters.

August Wedding Planned

Nancy L. Mullett

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Samuel Mullett, 20 Harding St., Andover, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Nancy L., to William C. Smith. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith, Kitts Hill, Ohio.

An August 1 wedding is planned at the Fundamental Baptist Temple, Salem, N.H.

A 1973 graduate of Andover High, the prospective bride attends the Baptist Bible College in Springfield, Mo. She was also formerly employed at Andover Savings Bank.

Her fiance, a graduate of Dawson-Bryant High School, served four years in the U.S. Air Force and is presently enrolled in the Pastor's Course at Baptist Bible College.

Spring Wedding Planned

Greta E. Zorn

Mr. and Mrs. Harold J. Zorn of River Falls, Wisconsin, announce the engagement of their daughter, Greta Elizabeth, to Gary V. Gulezian, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vahey S. Gulezian of Andover.

Ms. Zorn, a graduate of Viterbo College, La Crosse, Wisconsin, is presently employed as a staff nurse at the Bon Secours Hospital.

Mr. Gulezian is a graduate of Dartmouth College and will pursue graduate studies at Harvard University in the fall.

A spring wedding is planned.

Newcomers Luncheon Set

The annual spring luncheon of the Newcomers Club of Andover-North Andover, has been set for Tuesday, May 13, at the Lanam Club.

A choice of crab meat quiche or chicken almond salad may be made, along with reservations, with Mrs. Theodore Eyrick, Hansom Road, Andover, by May 7. Reservations for babysitting, for youngsters of walking age through five, may be made with Mrs. Michael McEvoy of North Andover, also by May 7.

The 12 to 3 p.m. affair will also include installation of new officers.

Miss Luceri Elected To Phi Beta Kappa

Miss Loretta Luceri, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Luceri, 8 Suncrest Road, Andover, has been elected to membership in Phi Beta Kappa by the Senate of the Beta of Maryland Chapter, Goucher College, Towson, Md. Miss Luceri is among 19 students elected by Phi Beta Kappa from the Class of 1975.

Election to Phi Beta Kappa recognizes truly outstanding intellectual achievement and is the highest scholastic honor that can be bestowed at the university level. In evaluating eligible students, Phi Beta Kappa considers not only the grade point average, but other factors such as outstanding work on creative projects, independent work and breadth and depth of learning in the liberal arts.

Initiation will take place at a banquet to be held April 30 at the College. Miss Luceri is a graduate of Our Lady of Nazareth Academy in Wakefield.

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Miss Lawson To Wed In August

Debra Ann Lawson

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lawson, 92 Gould Road, Andover, announce the engagement of their daughter, Debra Ann, to William D. Morin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald W. Morin, 160 Jones Avenue, Dracut.

Miss Lawson is a graduate of Andover High School and attended Word of Life Bible Institute. She is employed by Andover Pediatric Associates, Andover.

Her fiance, a graduate of Dracut High School is currently serving in the United States Coast Guard as an engineer.

They both attend the Fellowship Bible Church.

An August 16 wedding is planned.

Miss Bracken Is Betrothed

Joan M. Bracken

Mr. and Mrs. Paul C. Bracken of Andover announce the engagement of their daughter, Joan Mary, to Charles W. Lanagan, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Lanagan of West Roxbury.

Joan graduated from Andover High School in 1968, and from Regis College, Weston, in 1972. She is currently teaching French and Spanish at the O.W. Holmes School, Dorchester.

Charles is a graduate of Boston College, Class of 1970, and is presently a Music teacher at the O.W. Holmes School. Both are candidates for Master's degrees at Boston State College.

An October wedding is planned.

Girls Summer Gym School Set For Y

The Andover-North Andover YMCA is developing plans for a Summer Gymnastics School For Girls as a special vacation time project. Information and registration material will be avaiable as of May 5. The school will serve interested girls from the two towns and other nearby communities. Registration will be accepted from one to six weeks in the period June 27 - Aug. 8.

A gymnastics centered program is planned for Monday through Friday of each week, 9 a.m. - 12 noon, for girls going into grades 4-9 who are with or without prior gymnastics training.

The new YMCA building and equipment will adequately serve the group and a daily recreational swim in the new six-lane pool will be more than welcome at the end of the gymnastics training each day.

In addition to the usual vaulting, uneven bars, balance beam and floor exercise, the program will include trampoline, rope, rhymthics and dance for gymnasts.

YMCA Gymnastics Chairman Bevolyn Oliver, an experienced gymnastics instructor holding a degree in Physical Education from Ursinus College will direct the school. Competent specialists will assist together with older girls selected for a "Leader-in-Training" program open to girl gymnasts in grades 10-12.

Miss Cavallaro Takes Ribbon

Christen Cavallaro of Andover took a third place ribbon in floor exercises at an open invitational gym meet at Acton-Boxboro Regional High School, Sunday, April 5.

The Andover youngster is a member of the Stage Door Gymnasts, and just turned seven on April 1, needing special permission to compete in the 8-11 year old category.

Pruning Assist For Gardeners

The Village Garden Club of Andover presents a "Pruning Demonstration" with Mrs. Herbert Wilson, tonight at 7:30 p.m., at Faith Lutheran Church, Andover. An added attraction for this evening will be a "mini-plant" party with Mrs. Martin Silverman.

Hostesses will be Mrs. Vito Caiati, Mrs. S.G. Marino and Mrs. Vito Frazette. The centerpiece will be arranged by Mrs. Alfredo Anuff.

Members may bring guests.

Bake Sale

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Currier - Lavin

Mrs. Scott H. Currier

Sarah Jane Lavin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond J. Lavin, 9 Robandy Road, became the bride April 5 of Scott Huntington Currier, also of Andover.

The groom is the son of Dr. and Mrs. Charles A. Currier, 17 Hidden Road.

The Rev. Stanley Smith and the Rev. Everett Bodge officiated at the 11 a.m. ceremony at St. Augustine's Church, Andover. A reception followed at the Lanam Club.

Given in marriage by her father, the new Mrs. Currier wore her mother's bridal gown of cream silk satin, with a square neckline and full cathedral train trimmed with antique silk lace. A full veil fell from her embroidered satin cap, and she carried a bouquet of spring flowers. Spring flowers also decorated the church.

Julie Lavin was maid of honor for her sister, wearing a long pink and yellow floral gown of silk organdy, and a natural straw hat trimmed with pink ribbons.

Wearing matching gowns, were the bridesmaids, Mrs. David F. Murphy and Mrs. George H. Curran, also of Andover.

Dr. Charles A. Currier of Andover was best man for his son, and ushers were Capt. David Currier of Bowie, Md., and Richard Currier, of Grafton, N.H.

Mrs. Lavin chose a long crepe gown in turquoise for her daughter's wedding, and the groom's mother wore a long chiffon gown of sky blue.

The bride is a graduate of Andover High and the Andover Institute of Business. Her husband, a graduate of Andover High and the University of Massachusetts at Amherst, is a service representative for Continental Cable Vision Co.

Following a wedding trip to Williamsburg, Va., they are at home in Derry, N.H.

Flower Show Set For April 26, 27

"Publisher's Clearing House" is the theme of the standard flower show to be presented by members of the northern and northeastern districts of the Garden Club Federation of Massachusetts during the 61st annual open house of the Essex Agricultural and Technical Institute on April 26 and 27.

There will be five divisions that include artistic design, horticulture, small gardens, education and juniors, as well as many potted plants, bulbs, trees and flowering shrubs. Of particular interest this year will be a section on organic gardening and gardening under lights.

There will be something of interest for every member of the family at the horticultural show. Admission is free.

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For further information, contact Mrs. Larry Loughner, 6 Carisbrooke St., Andover, 01810

On Dean's List

Miss Barbara Louise Hempstead, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Hempstead, 8 Sagamore Drive, Andover, has been placed on the Dean's list at Tufts University for the fall semester. She is a 1972 graduate of Andover High School, and is currently a junior majoring in biology.

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AT THE CHURCHES

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North Andover

First United Methodist Church 57 Peter's Street North Andover, Mass. Rev. Donald K. Coburn, Minister

SUNDAY: 9 a.m. Church School, nursery through high school; 10:30 a.m. Worship Service, nursery care during worship, infants to 5 years; Youthful Worship, kindergarten through grade 3.

St. Gregory Armenian Apostolic Church 155 Main St., North Andover Rev. Arshag Daghlian, Pastor

SUNDAY: 9:45 a.m. Morning Prayer; 10 a.m. Badarak.

St. Paul's Episcopal Church 390 Main Street Rev. Kenneth L. Jones, Rector

SUNDAY: 8 a.m. Holy Communion; 10 a.m. Morning Worship and Sermon.

Fellowship Bible Chapel Rev. Joseph Stringer

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Judson Memorial Chapel, S.B.C. North Andover Community Center

SUNDAY: 9:30 a.m. Worship Service.

St. Michael's Church Rev. Frederick J. Minigan, Pastor

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SUNDAY: Masses at 7, 8, 9:15, 10:30 a.m. and 12 noon, 5:30 p.m.

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Trinitarian Congregational Church Rev. Herbert I. Schumm

SUNDAY: 10 a.m. Worship Service, Church School.

North Parish Unitarian Church Rev. David M. Blanchard

SUNDAY: 10:30 a.m. Worship Service; 10:15 a.m. Church school; 6 p.m. Youth Group.

TM Center Established

The International Meditation Society, a non-profit educational organization, has just established a permanent center in North Andover, due to the growing interest in the Transcendental Meditation Program in the Merrimack Valley. During the past year, approximately 75-100 people a month have been looking into the technique of Transcendental Meditation and there now are over 700 people practicing the technique regularly throughout the Merrimack Valley.

The new center is located at 474 Waverly Road, North Andover, and both Mitch Mazur and Ken Zolo will be responsible for teaching TM full time.

According to I.M.S., "Transcendental Meditation is a simple technique which can easily be learned and practiced by anybody." Studies by researchers at Harvard Medical School and Stanford Research Institute indicate that during TM the mind and body receive deep relaxation. This is evidenced by reduction in oxygen consumption, metabolic rate, and heart rate. And the implication of EEG patterns measured by Dr. Wallace of the Harvard Medical School is that Transcendental Meditation also represents a distinctly unique state of mental activity. These findings were reported in a past Scientific American issue.

Proponents of the technique claim that regular practice of TM for a few minutes daily results in reduced anxiety, increased creative abilities, and improved health. "The long range effect," according to the International Meditation Society, "is the development of a man's life to a state of fulfillment."

There is a Free Introductory Lecture on Transcendental Meditation every Wednesday night, at 8 p.m. at the main headquarters, 474 Waverley Road, North Andover.

Bridge Club Activities

Andover

The Andover Duplicate Bridge Club will hold a Unit-Wide Charity Game Thursday at 7:30 p.m. in the cafeteria of West Elementary School. Winners last week were:

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2. Ruth and Jim Dowd
3. James and Joseph Elmi
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2. Tom Puglisi - Greg Allen
3. Doris and Carl Miller
4. Norma and Austin Weber
5. Lois and Joel Edelstein

Greenleaf

The winners this week are:

North-South

1. Barbara Greer, Mary Ellen O'Brien
2. Nan Metcalf, Dot Gavin
3. Gloria Eyges, Ida Kobrin
4. Ilene Tatelman, Ethel Nicholson

East-West

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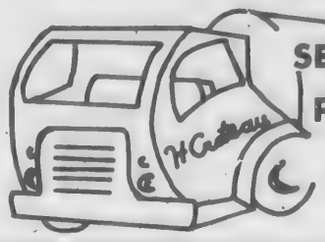
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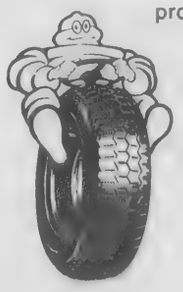
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School Board Relents, Attends Town Meeting

The Andover School Committee, though miffed at Town Moderator William Dalton for comments made the night before, assumed a civic duty posture and went to town meeting Tuesday night.

The committee met on schedule in Stowe School, but recessed in favor of Town Meeting a couple doors away.

They will reconvene at 7:30 tomight, also in the conference room at Stowe School, with a lengthy agenda that includes a report by School Committee Counsel William Murphy, bus bids, and reports on student conduct, the health program, business manager selection, teacher evaluations and staffing patterns.

Committeeman Elaine Viehmann made the motion to adjourn, feeling that "as elected representatives of the community, we really belong at Town Meeting." If Town Meeting didn't get its necessary quorum, she said, they could reconvene.

Committeeman George Olesen asked that it be a "recess," not adjournament, and added that he didn't feel that Town Meeting matters were necessarily "greater than ours are this evening."

Olesen said he had come prepared for a very lengthy agenda.

Call me at home," he said to his colleagues, indicating that he would not be joining them at Town Meeting.

When Town Meeting failed to get a quorum Monday night, Dalton reset it for Tuesday night. When reminded of other Tuesday night meetings, including the School Committee's, Dalton said that he realized there were other meetings scheduled for Tuesday, and that others had commitments for Tuesday night, "but the same condition exists for almost any night and to put it in the vernacular, that's tough."

Turow To Attend Symposium

Rhode Island School of Design (RISD) student Gordon Turow has been selected to attend the Sixth Annual National Student Symposium on the Presidency, sponsored by the Center for the Study of the Presidency. Outstanding students from over 500 colleges and universities will attend the event in Washington April 11-13. President Gerald R. Ford is expected to keynote the symposium, which will deal with the economy, energy problems, Presidential power and public morality.

Mr. Turow, a junior in landscape architecture, is also chairman of RISD's 1975 Parent's Day. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George S. Turow of Mayflower Drive, Andover.

Theme of the conference is "Leadership and National Priorities."

To Discuss Civil Service

Massachusetts Director of Civil Service Edward W. Powers will meet with local governmental and union officials in Danvers Thursday, April 24, to discuss a variety of civil service matters, the Massachusetts League of Cities and Towns has announced.

Powers will be available for open questioning by northern Massachusetts appointed and elected officials and administrators, and union representatives. Slated for discussion are a number of items, including proposed legislation, communications problems, status of police and fire certifications, and new examinations.

The meeting - - the first of its kind - - was organized by the Personnel-Labor Relations staff of the League. It is scheduled for 1 p.m. Thursday, April 24, in the Selectman's Hearing Room in Danvers Town Hall.

The Jewish War Veterans annual Blood Drive will be conducted on Wednesday, April 23 from 1 to 7 p.m. at the Lawrence Jewish Community Center, 580 Haverhill St., Lawrence. Donors may call the center in advance for an appointment.

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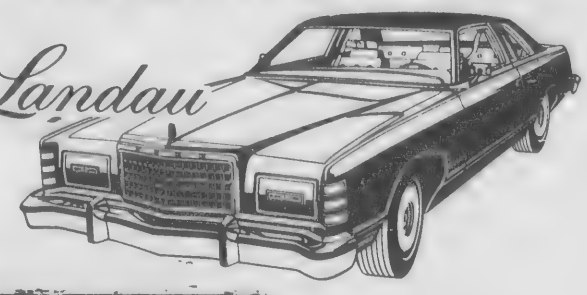
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LEGAL NOTICES

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
PROBATE COURT
Docket No. 329427

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of JOHN A. FRIEL, SENIOR late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for Probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by JOHN A. FRIEL, JUNIOR of Bowie in the State of Maryland praying that he be appointed executor thereof, without giving a surety of his bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the fifth day of May 1975, the return day of this citation.

Witness, ALBERT P. PETTORUTO, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this seventh day of April 1975.

JOHN J. COSTELLO Register.
April 17, 24; May 1, 1975

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
PROBATE COURT
Docket No. 143-545

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the trust estate under the will of WILLIAM M. WOOD, JUNIOR late of Andover in said County, deceased, for the benefit of EDITH R. WOOD (NOW PORTER) AND OTHERS:

The forty-eighth, forty-ninth and fiftieth accounts of said trust have been presented to said Court for allowance.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the fifth day of May 1975, the return day of this citation.

Witness, ALBERT P. PETTORUTO, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this seventh day of April 1975.

JOHN J. COSTELLO Register.
April 17, 24; May 1, 1975

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
PROBATE COURT
Docket No. 329486

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of FRANCIS J. SWEENEY late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for Probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by TERENCE J. SWEENEY, SENIOR of Andover in the County of Essex, praying that he be appointed executor thereof, without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the fifth day of May 1975, the return day of this citation.

Witness, ALBERT P. PETTORUTO, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this ninth day of April 1975.

JOHN J. COSTELLO Register.
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Lawrence, Mass.
April 17, 24; May 1, 1975

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
PROBATE COURT
Docket No. 326246

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of ANNIE S. COLLINS late of Andover in said County, deceased, testate.

A petition has been presented to said Court for license to sell at private sale certain real estate of said deceased.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Lawrence before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twelfth day of May 1975, the return day of this citation.

Witness, ALBERT P. PETTORUTO, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this seventh day of April 1975.

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register
From the office of:
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Commonwealth of Massachusetts
PROBATE COURT
Docket No. 228671

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the trust estate under the will of FOSTER C. BARNARD late of Andover in said County, deceased, for the benefit of ELIZABETH D. BARNARD AND OTHERS:

The trustees of said estate have presented to said Court for allowance their twenty-second, twenty-third and twenty-fourth accounts.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Lawrence before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twelfth day of May 1975, the return day of this citation.

Witness, ALBERT P. PETTORUTO, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this eleventh day of April 1975.

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register
April 17, 24; May 1, 1975

TOWN OF ANDOVER
PUBLIC HEARING

A public hearing will be held in THE HALL, SECOND FLOOR, MEMORIAL HALL LIBRARY, ANDOVER on THURSDAY, May 1, 1975, commencing at 7:30 P.M. on the petition of WARREN F. AND PATRICIA L. CLANCY, c/o Burton A. Shaker, 375 Common Street, Lawrence, Massachusetts for a variance from the requirements of Article VIII, Section V.A. of the Zoning By-Laws to permit an existing single family residence to remain with less than the side dimensional requirements.

Premises affected are located at 26 GRAY ROAD, ANDOVER in a Single Residence C district and are shown on Assessors' Map 10 as Lot 6A.

DOMENIC S. TERRANOVA,
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Dates of Issue:
April 17, 24, 1975

TOWN OF ANDOVER
PUBLIC HEARING

A public hearing will be held in THE HALL, SECOND FLOOR, MEMORIAL HALL LIBRARY, ANDOVER on THURSDAY, May 1, 1975, commencing at 7:30 P.M. on the petition of RAYMOND F. AND ANNE S. FORTUNA, 62 Red Spring Road, Andover for a variance from the requirements of Article VIII, Section V.A. and Section VII of the Zoning By-Laws to permit the construction of a single family residence on a lot having no frontage on an accepted way.

Premises affected are located on FOSTERS POND, ANDOVER in a Single Residence C district and shown on Assessors' Map 122 as Lot 11.

DOMENIC S. TERRANOVA,
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Dates of Issue:
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TOWN OF ANDOVER
PUBLIC HEARING

A public hearing will be held in THE HALL, SECOND FLOOR, MEMORIAL HALL LIBRARY, ANDOVER on THURSDAY, MAY 1, 1975, commencing at 7:30 P.M. on the petition of ROBERT J. FRASER, 29 Boutwell Road, Andover for a variance from the requirements of Article VIII, Section V.A. of the Zoning By-Laws to permit addition of a family room and bedroom to an existing structure with less than the present dimensional requirement.

Premises affected are located at 29 BOUTWELL ROAD, ANDOVER in a Single Residence C district and shown on Assessors' Map 216 as Lots 1 and 2.

DOMENIC S. TERRANOVA,
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Commonwealth of Massachusetts
PROBATE COURT
Docket No. 329303

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of ROGER W. ECKFELDT, JUNIOR late of Andover in said County deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for Probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by ARLINGTON TRUST COMPANY of Lawrence and CLIFFORD E. ELIAS of North Andover, both in the County of Essex, praying that they be appointed executors thereof, without giving a surety on their bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Haverhill before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-eighth day of April 1975, the return day of this citation.

Witness, ALBERT P. PETTORUTO, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-eighth day of March 1975.

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register.
April 10, 17, 24, 1975.

Cote Is Caldor Manager

Robert J. Cote of Peabody, has been appointed manager of the new Caldor Discount Department Store in Merrimack Valley Mall, at intersection of Routes I-495 and 133, Tewksbury, near the Andover town line.

"Merchandise preparations and personnel training are moving along rapidly," said Mr. Cote, "for the mid-April grand opening of this 90,000 square-foot store, which will be our sixth unit in the Bay State."

Mr. Cote joined Caldor, Inc., in 1971 after five years with Jordan Marsh in Boston where he was a fashion merchandiser. Following completion of the company's executive training program, he held assistant manager posts in the Framingham and Northampton stores. He has been manager of the Saugus and Methuen units. Mr. Cote graduated from Peabody High School; and earned degrees in business administration at Chamberlain Junior College in Boston and Northern Essex College in Haverhill. He and his wife, Robin, have a 2-year-old son, Erik James.

Caldor's anchor store in the new 200,000 square-foot, fully enclosed Merrimack Valley Mall will debut with a "Swing Into Spring" theme in the more than 80 departments stocked with brand-name and first quality merchandise. According to Mr. Cote, over 185 people will be employed full and part-time at Caldor.

Two assistant managers have been assigned to this 34th store in the tri-state regional chain; both are graduates of the company's executive training program.

Summer Greenberg of Peabody, started with Caldor in 1973 after 10 years in discount merchandising. He has been assistant manager at the Saugus and Methuen stores. Mr. Greenberg graduated from Lynn English High School and received his B.A. degree at Parsons College in Iowa. He and his wife, Beatrice, have two sons, Joel 6, and Jeffrey 3.

Town of Andover NOTICE

The Andover Board of Selectmen acting as the Licensing Board do hereby notify the Inhabitants of the Town of Andover that a RETAIL PACKAGE GOODS - ALL ALCOHOLIC LICENSE is now available at the Town Clerk's Office. The acceptance of applications for filing in the Town Clerk's Office will commence on April 28, 1975 through May 5, 1975 during regular business hours, 8:30 A.M. to 4:30 P.M. The hearing date for all applications before the Board of Selectmen will be May 19, 1975. Applicants are informed that they must have a place of business as required by MGLA Chapter 138, Section 15A. For further information contact the Town Clerk's Office.

EELDEN R. SALTER, Clerk
BOARD OF SELECTMEN

St. Lawrence Alumni To Meet Friday

The Laurentian Singers, St. Lawrence University's student a capella choral group, will perform at the dinner meeting of the St. Lawrence Alumni Club of Greater Boston on Friday, April 18.

The 40-voice chorus is making its spring tour in the Northeast, presenting concerts at secondary schools, churches and alumni club meetings. Laurentian Singers director is Dr. Robert H. Jones, associate professor of music.

The alumni dinner is scheduled at Dunfey's Parker House, 60 School Street, Boston. The program begins at 5:30 p.m. with a tape-slide presentation entitled "The Price of Independencer" by Nathaniel H. Acker, director of estate planning at St. Lawrence. A Dutch-treat cocktail hour will begin at 6:30 p.m., and the dinner at 7:30 p.m.

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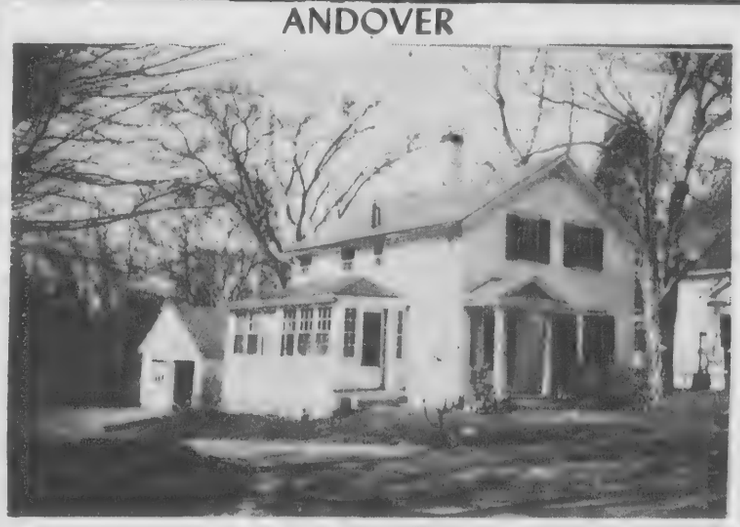

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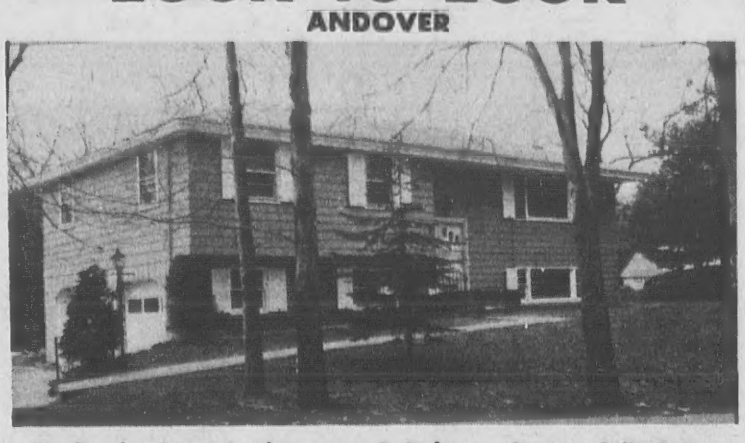

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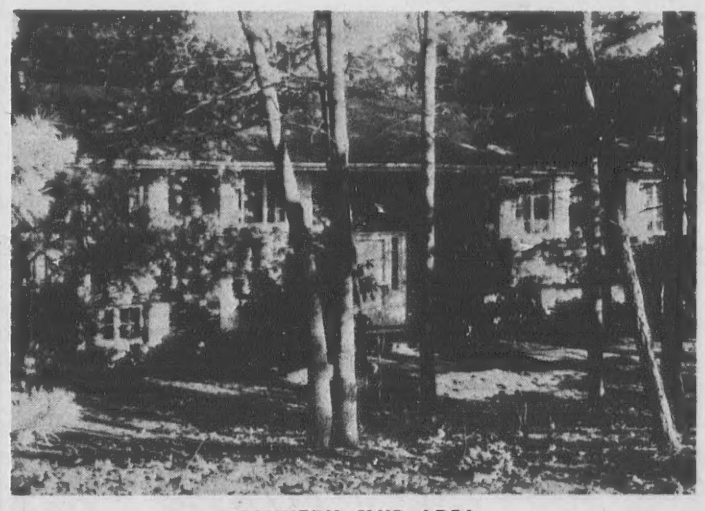

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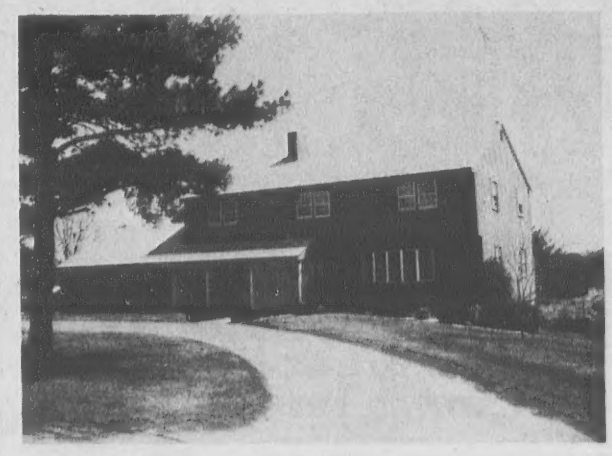

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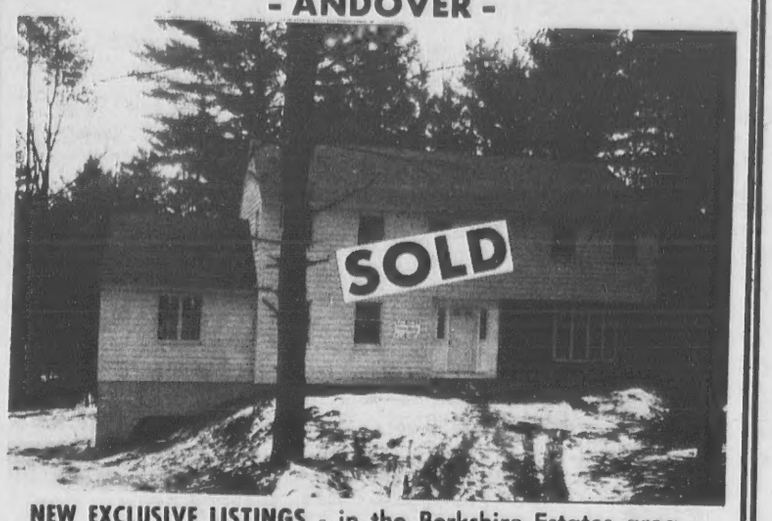

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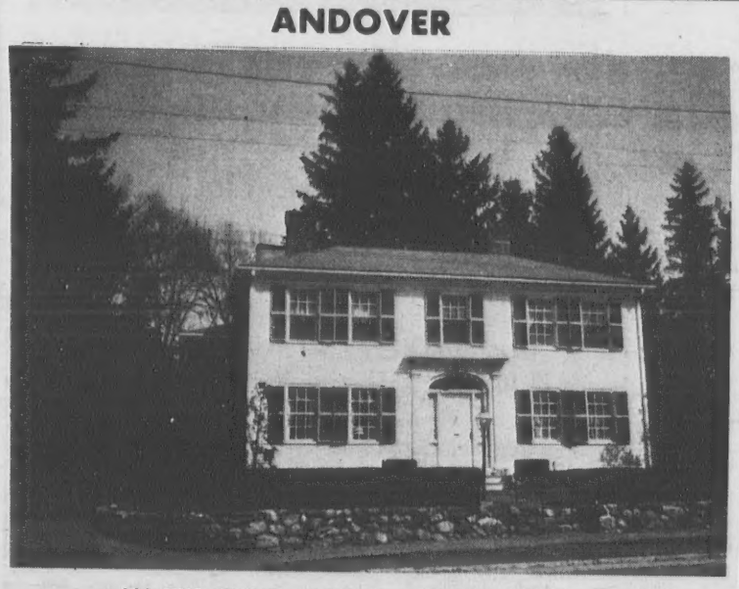

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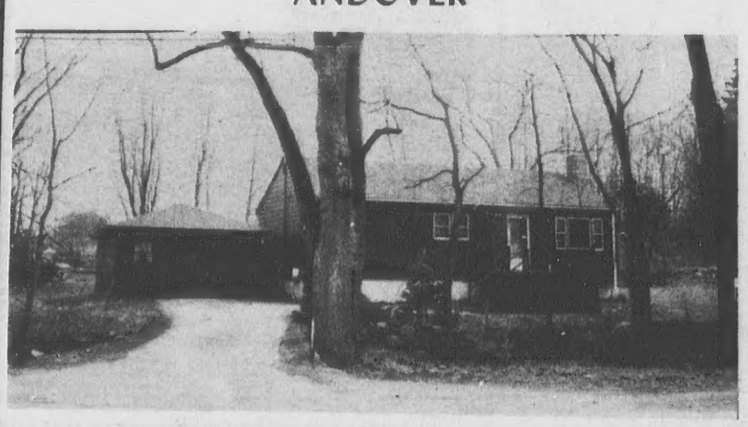

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CAPE COD - POCASSET on Buzzards Bay; waterfront; all electric kitchen including dishwasher; gas heat; 5 bedrooms. Available June & September. Call 475-2508 after 6 P.M. for details.
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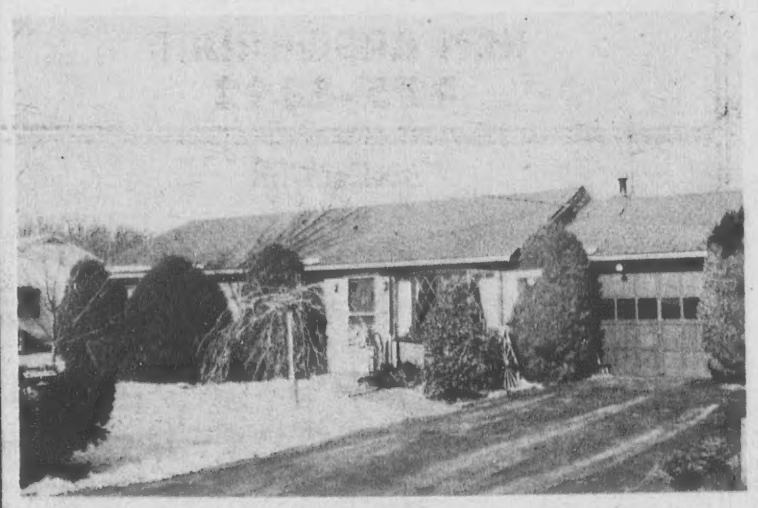

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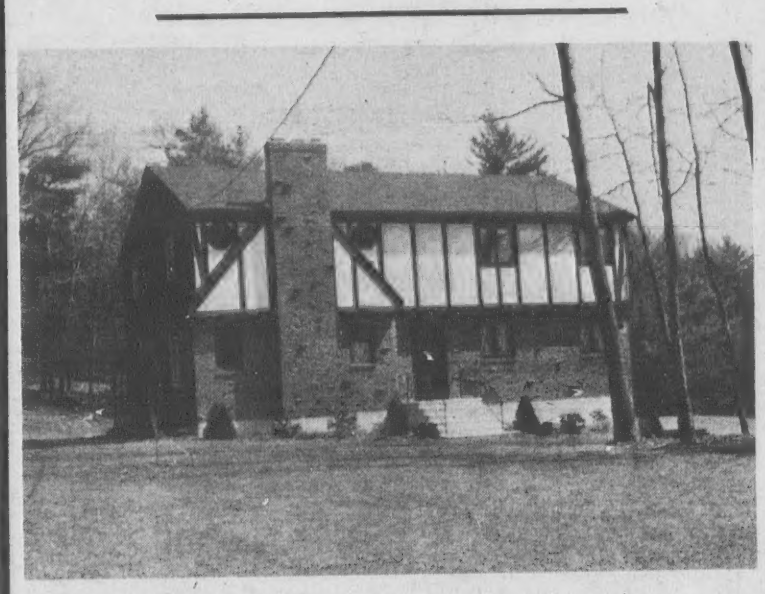

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Andover Symbol Selected

Top awards in the Andover Bicentennial Logo contest went to the entries composed by these three Andover residents. From left, Ed Parker, second place; James Batchelder, first place and Clifford Wrigley, third place.

The Andover Bicentennial Committee this week has a new logo to accompany its participation in the observance of 200th anniversary of America's march to freedom.

The symbol was designed by James Batchelder of 93 Argilla Road and contains the red, white and blue colors, with Andover's town hall in the center of a large star.

The selection was made by a board of judges Monday night at Memorial Hall Library and the winning entry was chosen from 86 designs submitted by Andover residents for consideration.

The top choice, along with other award winning entries will be on display at the Andover Savings Bank lobby, Main and Chestnut streets beginning today.

Batchelder will receive the $100 first prize offered by the Bicentennial commission.

Second prize of $50 was won by Edwin Parker of Carisbrooke St. and the third place winner was Clifford Wrigley, 7 Chestnut St., who will receive $25.

Receiving honorable mention for their entries were Barbara Minichiello, 4 Cameron Road; Robert G. Goodwin, 82 Central St., and Eric Frederickson, 16 Arundel St.

Judges for the contest included David Sullivan, Andover artist; Joseph Hoffman, president of Ingalls Associates, an advertising and public relations firm and Paul Petzold, of Visual Concepts.

Mrs. Norma Gammon, chairman of the bicentennial commission, expressed appreciation of the group for the interest shown in the contest.

The number of entries was particularly encouraging as was the quality and originality of the art work, Mrs. Gammon said.

Co-operation of the school department and local artists was also cited by the chairman.

A Vocal Adding Machine

Each session of town meeting generally has a light touch to break up the tedium of legislation and Tuesday night was no exception.

When the question of unpaid bills was before the house, a voter had questioned the total, after Selectman Edmund Sullivan Jr., had listed the items.

Sullivan accommodated the session by adding the figures vocally for the benefit of the audience.

Quite possibly the school committee, seated in the front row, was afforded a demonstration of back-to-basics math, in the process.

Dr. Samuel Francis Smith wrote the words to the national hymn, "America," while a student at the Andover Theological Seminary in 1831.

Aitel Named Chairman

Spencer Aitel, a Colby College sophomore from Andover, has been elected Social Life Chairperson of the Colby Student Association, the college's student government organization, for the upcoming year.

In his position, Aitel will mainly be responsible for providing entertainment for the Colby community. Rock and Jazz concerts, dances, and coffeehouse performances will constitute the mainstream of this entertainment.

Majoring in biology, Aitel is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Moe L. Aitel of 276 Andover Street. He prepared at Phillips-Andover Academy.

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